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A ROOSEVELT MAN TELLS WHY HE IS FOR MR. BRYAN

PROMINENT MAN DISCUSSES ISSUES

SAYS CHARACTER OF MEN WHO ARE FOR TAFT TELLS TALE

PUBLIC DISCUSSION INVITED

SUGGESTION MADE, THAT THE ISSUES BE MOOTED

ARTICLE IS A STRONG ONE

Writer Shows Intimate Knowledge of Current Political History of United States

To the Public:
The following discussion of the national political issues is from the pen of a prominent citizen. His name is not appended, but it can be learned at this office by anyone who proposes to answer the arguments presented. Accompanying this letter is a suggestion which may have a deep interest for those who are concerned in national politics, and we invite the attention of any who are following the campaign to an editorial on Page 3 of this issue, in which the suggestion is elaborated upon.

THE EDITORS.

Editor Tribune:
Recognizing the fairness and impartiality of your paper in matters political, and the patriotism which prompts you to support all measures which are truly for the good of the people, whether fostered by democrats or progressive and patriotic republicans, I ask for a little space in your valuable columns to tell how and why a Roosevelt republican has become a Bryan democrat, and to point out where the progressive policies of our beloved chief executive in the pursuit of the criminal wealthy class stand a better chance of being carried out by the democrats under Bryan than by the republicans under Taft.

The Producer.

There are two great classes of voters in this great country of ours: there are the producers and there are the parasites. The producer is the man whose toil gives more to society than society gives to him; the man who supports himself and others, who is a cog in the great machinery whose motive power is human intelligence and labor and whose output is the advancement of the welfare and happiness of man. He may be an artisan, a farmer, a preacher, a writer, a clerk, a merchant or a physician; but he contributes something towards the world's total of wealth and earns his right to live.

The Parasite

The parasite is the man whose income is greater than the value of his services to society; the man who by monopoly, or fraud, or class legislation passed for his benefit, compels every man, woman and child in this country of ours to pay him twice as much, yes, four times as much for his goods as they are worth; the man who buys a played out industry or a non-paying railroad for a small sum, capitalizes it at millions of dollars, and exchanges his worthless stock for the public's hard earned savings. John Ogden Armour, head of a combination which Charles Edward Russell has rightly called "the greatest trust in the world," is a parasite. He and his associates take toll from 90 per cent of the people of America every day of their lives. Look at the size and quality of the beefsteak that you pay 35 cents for today, then think back twenty years and remembering what you paid then, see how much of your 35 cents is just value and how 18 cents of it goes as your daily contribution to the swollen fortunes of Armour, Swift and Morris!

Who Are Parasites.

John Pierpont Morgan is a parasite. Last October, when he and his fellows, by fictitious buyings and sham sellings, had sent the prices of already inflated stocks soaring skyward, until all of the dear public who had spare cash on hand had traded their good money for the three times overvalued paper, he and his gang suddenly cornered the ready money of the nation, and, after the frantic people had sold off their stocks, at prices as far below their intrinsic value as they had previously been above it, he, with the Rockefeller, boldly bought back the stocks at rock bottom figures, received the public thanks of the president and a degree of LL. D. from Yale, ana,

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SENATOR GORE ADDRESSES LARGE AUDIENCE HERE

SOUNDS KEY-NOTE OF DEMOCRATIC CAMPAIGN

PROVES FORCEFUL SPEAKER

ARRAIGNS THE DO-LESS REPUBLICAN PARTY

RAPS UNCLE JOE CANNON

Says This Agent of the Trusts Should be Put Down and Out Definitely; Crowd Cheers Bryan

A severe arraignment of the republican party on what they have failed to do in the past and their flimsy promise for the future, a glowing tribute to Senator Robert M. La Follette and a complete discussion of the planks of which the democratic platform has been built were the features of the address of Senator Gore, Oklahoma's blind representative in the highest house in the government, at the auditorium last night to several hundred people. He opened the national democratic campaign. The attendance is estimated at from 1,500 to 2,000.

Gore arrived in La Crosse over the Chicago & Northwestern at 5:30 in the evening. He was met at the train by a committee of local democrats composed of County Chairman Doherty, Joseph Boschert, O. R. Skaar, William Wolfe and Judge Clinton W. Hunt. He was escorted to the Hotel Stoddard in an automobile.

The meeting had been scheduled to begin at 8 o'clock and promptly at that hour the speaker escorted by Attorney W. F. Wolfe appeared on the platform and seated upon the stage was his wife, the various democratic candidates and others of local note.

The speaker was introduced by Attorney John F. Doherty and the latter was high in the praise of the senator and his work with Senator La Follette in their attempt to defeat the Aldrich-Vreeland Bill.

The Republican Division

The speaker said that he had not come to La Crosse as a missionary to enlighten the people, but as a citizen of the United States and as a citizen was working for the betterment of the interests of the country. He said that the republicans were of two distinct classes—the La Follette republicans and the "stand-patters." The La Follette variety, he continued, was the best on the face of the earth and the democratic party was only too willing to allow such republicans to enter their fold. He stated early in his remarks that he had no respect whatever for peanut-headed and pin-headed politicians, but the republicans had as much patriotism, as much honesty, and as much sense as the democrats.

Party Gone Astray

The republicans, he said, have been born in love of liberty and freedom. But the party of today was not the party of Lincoln or the La Follette party of Wisconsin. It had gone astray, had degenerated and was now worshipping at the shrine of strange Gods. The very men who breathed the breath of life into the veins of the party, he said, the men who had originated it, had, with the exception of a few, quit it before the day of their death. He named such men as Senator Trumbull of Illinois, Chief Justice Chase of Ohio, Horace Greeley and others equally notable. He wondered which was the more honorable, the founding of the party or the leaving of it.

Change Party

He urged voters to leave the republican and join the ranks of democracy and he spoke strongly of the democratic slogan "Shall the people rule?" Democracy, he asserted, says that the governed should govern and that is the belief of every honest American citizen.

Insulted La Follette

The difference between the democrats and the La Follette republicans was small, said the senator so small in fact that it was by an almost invisible line that they were distinguished. He told of the treatment accorded Senator La Follette at the

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FULL DINNER PAIL A VICTIM OF "REASONABLE PROFIT"



(Courtesy of the Milwaukee Children will at section one loc

UGLY ACCUSATIONS AGAINST FORAKER ARE DENIED ONLY AS TO INTENT OF THE SENATOR

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Sept. 19.—William R. Hearst in a speech here last night renewed his attack on Senator Foraker, begun Thursday night at Columbus, Ohio, reading letters to show that in addition to the \$29,500 referred to last night the Ohio senator had received \$50,000 from John D. Archibald of the Standard Oil company.

Mr. Hearst answered the reply which Senator Foraker made today

Responding to your favor of the 25th it gives me pleasure to hand you herewith certificate of deposit for \$50,000 in accordance with our understanding. Your letter states the conditions correctly and I trust the transaction will be successfully consummated.

"Very truly yours,"

"J. D. ARCHIBOLD."

"Hon. J. B. Foraker, Washington, D. C."

Wants Bill Looked Into

"No. 26 Broadway, New York, Feb. 25, 1902. My Dear Senator:—I venture to write you a word regarding the bill introduced by Senator Jones of Arkansas, known as S. 649, intended to amend the act 'To Protect Trade and Commerce Against Unlawful Restraints and Monopolies, Etc.' introduced by him December 4."

"It really seems as though this bill is very unnecessarily severe and even vicious. Is it not much better to test the application of the Sherman act before resorting to a measure of this kind? I hope you will feel so about it, and I will be greatly pleased to have a word from you on the subject. The bill is, I believe, still in committee. With kind regards, yours very truly,"

"JOHN D. ARCHIBOLD."

"Hon. J. B. Foraker, Washington, D. C."

Statement Not Convincing

"The bill referred to in this letter," said Mr. Hearst, "is the one introduced by Senator Jones of Arkansas in the United States senate. Consequently Mr. Foraker's statement does not convince when he said the correspondence had nothing to do with any legislation in congress."

Foraker Scores Slightly

CINCINNATI, O., Sept. 19.—Foraker today gave a statement relative to the \$50,000 mentioned in a letter to him from Archibald of Standard Oil, which was made public by Hearst.

He said the certificate of deposit for that amount was for stock which Standard Oil was to take in the Ohio State Journal, Foraker trying at the same time to interest others in the purchase of a plant for the newspaper man, a friend of his. This deal later fell through, he says, when the \$50,000 was returned to Standard. He declared he never received a cent in connection with the proposed deal and reiterates the statement of his connection as advisory counsel of Standard Oil made public yesterday. He continued:

"Any letters Archibald may have written me on any subject since that time have been written only as a citizen might write to a legislator with whom he was acquainted, concerning pending legislation that affected him or his interests. Neither Standard Oil, or any other company

or individual has ever paid me a cent on account of any public service, nor has that company, or anybody else, even suggested to me any compensation or reward of any kind in consideration of my support or opposition of any bill. Since dictating the foregoing, my clerk at Washington has found and read to me over the telephone the following letter which is confirmatory of the rest of what I have said about this money:

Letter Confirming Defense.

"Washington, Feb. 4, 1902.—Dear Mr. Archibald—I very greatly

regret to have to inform you that the proposed transaction at Columbus has failed, at least for the present. It may be revived later, but I doubt if I shall care to bother about it any more. However, I hereby send you with many thanks for your kindness in the matter, a New York draft for \$50,000, payable to your order, as repayment of the money advanced by you on the above mentioned account."

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LOVE AND BOOZE INCITE MAN TO MURDER AND DESPERATE ACTS

GENERAL ELECTRIC HUB OF A MIGHTY ELECTRIC TRUST

JAIL FOR MAGNATES, IS ROOSEVELT'S LATEST PLAN

STARTLING EVIDENCE FOUND

TRUST MORE INQUITOUS THAN STANDARD OIL MONOPOLY

WOULD PULL "TEDDY" OFF

Taft Men Want to Stay His Hand But President Declines to Mix Business and Politics

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—A startling discovery was made today by the federal grand jury here, which has been investigating the General Electric company, and half of the other electric concerns with a view to establishing the existence of an unlawful trust. It is said that enough evidence has been secured to warrant the indictment of half a dozen "masters of finance" of the electrical world. Astonishing revelations are hinted at.

The government is convinced that the electric street railway and the electric lighting business of the country are absolutely controlled by a trust. More than a dozen witnesses have already been examined. Taking further evidence has been postponed to enable the government "trust busters" to collect certain documentary evidence.

The investigation was begun on the order of President Roosevelt and now is pushed at his express command, notwithstanding the emphatic personal opposition of industrial and political chiefs. Advocates of delay insist that the president's motives will be misconstrued, and industrial interests will be alarmed, resulting in untold injury to the party. Roosevelt, it is said, meets this with the declaration that he will not mix business and politics and that the department of justice convinces him that the "electric trust" is a greater illegal combination than Standard Oil. Bonaparte is said to support this position. Men on the inside say the president has grown restless over the delays that have been interposed in other trust prosecutions and feels that he is warranted in putting some of the "rich malefactors" behind the bars.

OTHER WRIGHT TO FLY AGAIN ALL RIGHT

LEMANS, Sept. 19.—Wilbur Wright announced that he will resume his aeroplane flights Monday and will use a 120 pound sack of sand as a companion instead of a man, owing to the accident to his brother's machine, in which Lieut. Selfridge lost his life. He will make no change in the machine, as a result of the accident, however, believing the machine to be built along the right lines.

Leaves Lemans for Ft. Myer.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—The possible abandonment of his experiments in France by Wilbur Wright and his early return here to take up the tests at Fort Myer, ended by the accident to his brother Orville, was announced today by Charles R. Flint, of New York, whose money is backing the efforts of the Wrights to conquer the air.

His announcement came today with the declaration that Orville Wright, though improving, will be unable to resume his experiments within five or six months. Wright was particularly cheered today by the arrival of his sister, Miss Katherine. He is also receiving other visitors.

The funeral of Lieut. Selfridge will not take place until the arrival of his parents, who started from San Francisco today. The interment will be at the Arlington here, or at West Point.

SZECHENYIS IN A WRECK.

LONDON, Sept. 19.—A news agency dispatch from Vienna says that Count and Countess Szechenyi were in an automobile accident in Hungary. Their injuries, however, were confined to the shock and a few bruises. The count and the countess who was Miss Gladys Vanderbilt of New York, were returning from the army maneuvers when their car ran into the pillar of a bridge and was wrecked.

GEORGE SMITH IS TAKEN ALIVE TODAY

SHOT CHILD AND MURDERED ITS MOTHER YESTERDAY

SHOT AND REPULSED SHERIFF

HELD POSSE AT BAY ABOUT THE HOUSE ALL NIGHT

LOVED 14 YEAR OLD OLGA

Bought Her Shoes and Then Shot Her—Mob of Citizens Wanted to Lynch the Assassin

WAUKESHA, Wis., Sept. 19.—After holding a posse at bay all night, George Smith, aged 60, who last night shot Mrs. Julius Grabow, her daughter Olga, aged 14, and Sheriff Dwinell, was captured at daylight today. Mrs. Grabow, who was shot in the head three times, is dying at the emergency hospital. The other two will recover.

After the shooting, Smith barricaded himself in the Grabow house, at Calhoun, 6 miles east of here, and defied arrest until daylight. Love for the young girl is declared to have caused the shooting by Smith, who is a farmhand.

Smith dashed out of the milk house as the girl was going to the house from the barn and fired, striking her in the arm. He then turned on the mother, who started for the house, and shot her in the head. Making his way to the house he barricaded himself in a room. As the sheriff and deputy started up the stairs he fired again, shooting the sheriff through the neck.

Shoots Child First.

Smith had been working for Grabow for some time and had always been considered a good workman. He showed his fondness for Olga only Thursday, when he brought her a pair of shoes as a present when he returned home from a visit to Milwaukee. Yesterday he had some differences with Grabow, and when he left the shop where he had been working all day he went to the Grabow home, Mr. Grabow remaining behind to do some little work before closing up, and the shooting occurred in his absence.

Said to Have Been Drinking.

Charles Schneider, who lives next door, hearing the shots, informed C. P. Kellogg, a saloonkeeper close by, who in turn notified Sheriff Dwinell. Smith had been in this saloon only a short time before the shooting and, according to Kellogg, was the worse for drink.

Sheriff Dwinell at once jumped into an automobile with Undersheriff Clancy and hurried to the scene. In the meantime Mrs. Grabow and the child had been removed to the Schneider home, where their wounds were dressed. Sheriff Dwinell went

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Weather and Water



Coollest at La Crosse, 60; warmest, 90; wind, 4 miles; rainfall, none. The river will rise slightly in the upper section and remain nearly stationary in the lower section. Stage of water at La Crosse, 2.2, stationary; at Prairie du Chien, 2.2, a fall of .1 of a foot. Forecasts today: Wisconsin—Fair tonight and probably Sunday; continued warm. Minnesota—Fair except local showers in northeast portion tonight or Sunday. Iowa—Fair tonight and probably Sunday; continued warm.

SPORTING NOTES

EAU CLAIRE WANTS FREEPORT'S PLACE

SAY TABLES ARE NOW TURNED ON QUARRELSOME CHAMPS

MOLL WILL BE RE-ELECTED

Only Change in Present List of Officers Will Be Substitute for Vice President Larie

When the directors of the Wisconsin-Illinois league meet in Milwaukee Oct. 4 and 5, in annual session, Eau Claire will make application for the franchise of Freeport on the ground, it is understood, that Freeport failed to secure the required 25,000 attendance this season. Eau Claire still wants to get back into the league, and it is expected that President Roy Wilcox of the Eau Claire association, and other officials will be at the meeting in force to press the claims of the Eau Claireites. Sentiment on this change among the other clubs is not known at this time, but it is generally conceded Freeport will fight for her place in the league.

New Vice President.
Although John T. Powers, original president, has been boasting himself for Moll's place, and Ferguson has been promoting the candidacy of Vanderboom, former Wisconsin university football player, there is no doubt Charles F. Moll, present president, secretary and treasurer of the league, will be re-elected unanimously. John F. Larie, of Oshkosh, present vice president of the league, will resign at this meeting as he is no longer connected with the Oshkosh club, and a successor will be elected. John Elliott, president of the La Crosse club, has been suggested for this place, but probably would not accept it.

Enforce Salary Limit.
President Elliott expects the meeting to place all the clubs on a self-sustaining basis, thus endorsing President Moll's plans and ideas. This plan is to allow each team \$1,200 monthly and 12 men, to insist on a monthly meeting of directors and report of the finances, providing penalties for violations of the salary limit. In the past salary limits have been disregarded by all teams.

CLEVELAND FANS FRANTIC ROOTERS

CLEVELAND, O., Sept. 19.—The magnificent spirit of the Naps has caused Cleveland to go baseball crazy. Led by County Clerk Salen, president of the city baseball league, several thousand fans packed the public square and rehearsed songs and yells to be used at the league park. The meeting was tremendously enthusiastic, while the rooting at the game excelled any previous efforts along that line in the history of baseball in Cleveland. Over 10,000 were present—a record breaking crowd for midweek at this time of the year here. The Naps played wonderful ball again and finally beat Cy Young, who generally defeats Cleveland.

CLINTON, 5; STERLING, 4.

STERLING, Ill., Sept. 19.—The Clinton nine of the Three Eye league defeated the Sterling Infants, 5 to 4. With the score tied in the ninth and two out, Pitcher Jaeger sent a two bagger to center, which bounded over the fence and gave him a home run, winning the game. Score: Sterling . . . 000000310—4 9 3 Clinton . . . 100002101—5 8 1 Batteries—Knobles and Dodd for Sterling; Jaeger and Nieman for Clinton.

WAUKON, IOWA'S FAMOUS BALL TEAM



Above is a photograph of the famous Waukon, Ia., baseball team, which has been cleaning up about everything in its territory. In the upper row, left to right, are Ronan, Eaton, Manager Beeman, Beddon, and Smith; in the lower row, left to right, are H. Scovel, Schermuly, Dougherty, Nieman, W. Scovel and Clark. The team has won remarkably this season, and is playing faster ball than many professional league aggregations.

BIG AUTO RACES AT MILWAUKEE

What promises to be one of the greatest automobile race meets ever held in the middle west will be held at Milwaukee on Sept. 25 and 26, at the state fair park under the auspices of the Milwaukee Automobile club. A program of eight events, including a twenty-four hour race, is scheduled, and all of the highest powered cars manufactured will be entered. The feature event will be the twenty-four hour contest in which at least ten big racing machines will compete, and a new world's record is almost certain to be made.

Among the cars that already are entered are a Locomobile, the machine which set a world's mark of 1,146 miles in the big derby at Milwaukee on Sept. 22, last year; a Matheson, which won signal honors in the recent Glidden tour; a Stearns, winner of the Algonquin hill climb, at Chicago, in July; and a 40-horse power Jackson, which the makers declare can outspeed any car of double the price of the Jackson. Secretary James T. Drought of the Milwaukee Automobile club, promoter of the derby, now is in correspondence with the makers of the Lozier, the car which won the twenty-four hour race at Brighton Beach, N. Y., last week, and Mr. Drought is confident that a Lozier will compete. Bob Drach, who drove a Locomobile to a world's record last year, will be at the wheel of the same car again this time. For absolute dare devil driving Drach is probably the greatest of his class.

The program of events is as follows:
No. 1—Two miles, open to two cylinder gasoline stock cars, selling at any price.

No. 2—Five miles, open to gasoline stock cars, selling at \$3,000 and under.

No. 3—Ten miles, open to gasoline stock cars, selling at \$2,500 and over.

No. 4—Twenty-four hour endurance contest, open to stripped stock cars, or stock chassis, selling at any price.

No. 5—Ten miles, open to stock runabouts or touring runabouts, any price.

No. 6—Five miles, open to gasoline stock cars, selling at \$5,000 and under.

No. 7—Ten miles, open to gasoline stock cars, selling at \$2,000 and under.

Special feature—Handicap match race, open to members of "Judge Neelon's" automobile club only.

CAPRON MADE A BASEBALL RECORD

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Sept. 19.—George Capron, the famous drop kicker and captain-elect of the Minnesota football team, has been barred by the Minnesota faculty and will never play a Gopher eleven. Capron had had, under the name of LAC, played on the Meridian in the Cotton States league.

Made Record as Rapp.
It has further developed that as George Rapp he made a great record as a ball player and was drafted by the New York Giants. He batted over the 400 mark and had almost a perfect record as a fielder.

It is greatly regretted at the Gopher institution that Capron's record was not fully known before he was elected captain. The rait in this matter was entirely his own, it is said, and he declines to discuss the affair further.

THIS MIGHT TAKE KILLIAN FROM US

STERLING, Ill., Sept. 19.—An attempt is being made to organize an eight team baseball league in that number of northern Illinois towns and to be known as the Northern Illinois league. The managements of the teams in Aurora, Elgin, Waukegan, Rockford, Freeport, Streator, Danville, Sterling and Galesburg are discussing the plan. These nine towns have a population of 200,000 and it is figured that 25,000 paid admissions would pay the salary list.

Healthy kidneys filter the impurities from the blood, and unless they do this good health is impossible. Foley's Kidney Cure makes sound kidneys and bladder disease. It strengthens the whole system. O. T. Erhart.

The next best things to knowing how to get a thing is knowing how to get along without it.

At Brooklyn— R H E
Brooklyn . . . 000200000—2 5 1
St. Louis . . . 020011000—4 8 1
Rucker and Dunn; Lush and Bliss.
Second game— R H E
Brooklyn . . . 0300000—3 7 0
St. Louis . . . 0000000—0 5 2
Bell and Farmer; Sallee and Moran.

At Boston— R H E
Boston . . . 211002000—6 12 3
Cincinnati . . 0101100010—13 16 2
Dorner, Mattern, Lindaman and Smith; Rowan, Dubec and McLean.

At Cleveland— R H E
Cleveland . . . 000010010—2 5 2
Boston . . . 010000000—1 0 3
Rhoades and Bemis; Arellanes and Donohue.

At Chicago— R H E
Chicago . . . 000000100—1 3 0
Washington . . 000000000—0 8 2
Walsh and Sullivan; Johnson and Street.

At St. Louis— R H E
St. Louis . . . 200000000—2 10 1
Philadelphia . . 000000001—1 3 3
Powell and Smith; Flaherty and Powers.

Second game— R H E
St. Louis . . . 011101100—5 13 3
Philadelphia . . 020010010—4 8 3
Dineen and Spencer; Coombs and Ladd.

PITCHERS' RECORD AT SEASON END

The records made by the pitchers in the Wisconsin-Illinois league follow; the list including those who worked in six or more games:

Players.	Games.	W.	L.	Pct.
Flynn, La Crosse	18	14	4	.778
Liese, Madison	21	15	6	.714
Stremmel, Gr. B.	14	10	4	.714
Esselbaum, Fd-O.	7	5	2	.714
Slapnicka, Rockf.	7	5	2	.714
Bartos, Wausau	23	16	7	.697
Lang, Wausau	31	21	10	.677
Hawley, La C.	9	6	3	.667
Dunbar, Wausau	35	23	12	.657
Miller, Gr. Bay	36	23	13	.639
Vance, Gr. Bay	35	22	13	.629
Green, Rockf.	8	5	3	.625
Bubser, Oshkosh	23	14	9	.609
Grimes, Madison	25	15	10	.600
Eberle, La Crosse	29	17	12	.586
Cummins, Free.	24	14	10	.583
Hooker, Fond	19	11	8	.579
Rouse, Freeport	33	19	14	.576
Shaw, Madison	34	19	15	.559
Chambers, Rockf.	11	6	5	.545
Reinhart, G. B.	12	6	6	.500
Scott, Freeport	33	16	17	.485
Pinkney, Osh.	20	10	11	.476
Parish, B.B. F.L.	19	9	10	.474
Dooner, Wausau	17	8	9	.471
Reitley, Fd. L.	17	8	9	.471
Jones, La C.	29	13	16	.448
Roach, Gr. B.	11	5	6	.445
Watson, La C.	7	3	4	.429
Baillies, La C.	31	15	18	.419
Rogers, Rockf.	29	12	17	.414
Converse, Osh.	27	11	16	.407
Lezie, G.B.FdL.	30	12	18	.400
Steele, Madison	18	7	11	.389
Burwell, Osh.	26	10	16	.385
Tonneson, Mad.	11	4	7	.363
Darrah, Freeport	14	5	9	.356
Blexrud, Rockf.	12	4	8	.333
Kostal, FdL.	9	3	6	.333
Palmer, Rockf.	29	9	20	.310
Rowley, FdL.	10	3	7	.300
Harmon, Freeport	10	3	7	.300
McCloskey, G.B.	7	2	5	.286
Christman, Rock.	8	2	6	.250
Schuch, G.B. Rk.	8	2	6	.250
LaBelle, G.B.	6	1	5	.167

The record of those who worked in less than six games follows:

Players.	Games.	W.	L.	Pct.
Potter, Wausau	5	4	1	.800
Giffen, Freeport	4	3	1	.750
Nichols, Oshkosh	4	3	1	.750
Wolford, Fond.	3	2	1	.667
Farrell, Oshkosh	3	2	1	.667
Bailliet, Ft-Md.	3	2	1	.667
Nolden, Madison	5	3	2	.600
Dominick, Waus.	2	1	1	.500
Guns, Wausau	2	1	1	.500
Glendon, Mad.	2	1	1	.500
Perce, Fond.	2	1	1	.500
Sietz, Wausau	5	2	3	.400
Scanlon, Osh.	3	1	2	.333
Clark, Mad.	3	1	2	.333
Moore, Free.	3	1	2	.333
Werner, Oshkosh	4	1	3	.250
Beltling, Rockf.	4	1	3	.250
Koons, F.O.-W.	5	1	4	.200
Piddington, Fond.	1	0	1	.000
Zook, Fond.	1	0	1	.000
Ames, Fond.	1	0	1	.000
Schanze, Rock.	1	0	1	.000
Parker, Fond.	1	0	1	.000
Brink, Oshkosh	1	0	1	.000
Hastings, La C.	1	0	1	.000
Jacobs, Rock.	1	0	1	.000
Smith, Rock.	1	0	1	.000
McGill, Rock.	1	0	1	.000
Dombrosky, Rock.	1	0	1	.000
Ferguson, Wau.	1	0	1	.000
Opferfelt, Rock.	1	0	1	.000
Vauwey, Fond.	1	0	1	.000
Slattery, Rock.	1	0	1	.000
Hall, G. B.	4	0	4	.000
Coats, Oshkosh	3	0	3	.000
Newcombe, Mad.	2	0	2	.000
Forsberg, Rock.	2	0	2	.000

Team Batting Records.

The record shows Wausau was the heaviest batter with La Crosse third. The total hits for the season and the average per game for all the teams follows:

Teams.	Games.	Hits.	Ave.
Wausau	124	955	7.70
Oshkosh	126	896	7.11
La Crosse	126	895	7.10
Madison	123	847	6.89
Fond du Lac	123	844	6.86
Green Bay	124	848	6.84
Rockford	123	796	6.47
Freeport	125	757	6.06

La Crosse Second Fielders.

La Crosse stood second in fielding, with Madison first. The season averages follow:

	P.O.	A.	E.	Pc
Madison . . .	3207	1541	203	.95
La Crosse . .	3367	1502	230	.95
Wausau . . .	3356	1574	245	.95
Freeport . .	3318	1497	250	.95
Gr. Bay . . .	3368	1580	261	.95
Oshkosh . . .	3303	1644	262	.95
Fond du Lac	3297	1643	306	.94
Rockford . .	3258	1644	304	.94

Total Runs Scored.

The total runs scored during the season and the average for each game follows, Wausau leading with La Crosse a close second. A peculiar feature is that Rockford, tail-enders, stood fourth in run getting:

Teams.	Games.	Runs.	Ave.
Wausau	124	492	3.97
La Crosse	126	472	3.75
Madison	123	408	3.32
Rockford	123	391	3.18
Oshkosh	126	388	3.08
Fond du Lac	123	378	3.07
Green Bay	124	347	2.80
Freeport	125	341	2.73

MINT OF MIKE REGAN UNEARTHED

BOSTON, Mass., Sept. 19.—Michael J. Regan of this city, the baseball fan who is known in every major league city of the country, was accused in the superior court of fraudulently securing \$62,000 from Harriet N. Brown, a 72 year old widow, by making love to her.

The charge was made by James S. Cannon, executor of Mrs. Brown's estate. Mrs. Brown died last May. A will left \$1 to each of her three sisters and the balance of the estate, valued at \$150,000, to my "loving friend, Michael J. Regan."

This will was not allowed by the courts. Then the executor says, he found Regan had secured "by fair pretenses of love" four mortgages and deeds of property valued at \$62,000. He obtained an injunction restraining Regan from disposing of the property in any way, and said in court that criminal action probably would be started.

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TWO YALE STARS STILL MISSING

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Sept. 19.—Cooney, center, and Brides, half back, still are missing from the football ranks. Cooney has sent word that he will be here, but nothing has been heard from Brides. He was a

prominent candidate for the captaincy last fall and was keenly disappointed at not being elected. A Yale football official said that he had heard that Brides had decided not to return this fall, but that he did not believe it. Last week Brides was at his home in Brockton, Mass., ringing up fares as a trolley conductor. He will be a senior in the medical

school this fall. Wheaton, half back last year, and Tad Jones, back field coach, arrived in time to jump into the practice in uniform.

In darning curtains if the rent is large take a piece of an old curtain and patch the hole with it and the damage will scarcely be noticed.

IGORROTE VILLAGE

ON THE MIDWAY AT

LA CROSSE INTER-STATE FAIR

A TYPICAL SCENE

PRIMITIVE WILD PEOPLE

FROM PHILIPPINE ISLANDS

LIVING AS THEY LIVE AT HOME

"The Overshadowing Feature of the Exhibition."---Toronto Globe.

YOU CAN'T AFFORD TO MISS IT

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1-Sat	6,325	16-Sunday	
2-Sunday		17-Mon	6,347
3-Mon	6,322	18-Tues	6,340
4-Tues	6,331	19-Wed	6,338
5-Wed	6,329	20-Thurs	6,346
6-Thurs	6,339	21-Fri	6,328
7-Fri	6,337	22-Sat	6,339
8-Sat	6,351	23-Sunday	
9-Sunday		24-Mon	6,358
10-Mon	6,327	25-Tues	6,347
11-Tues	6,341	26-Wed	6,380
12-Wed	6,332	27-Thurs	6,340
13-Thurs	6,341	28-Fri	6,361
14-Fri	6,364	29-Sat	6,338
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month of August, 1908, was as above
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FRANK H. BURGESS.
Subscribed and sworn to before me
this thirty-first day of August, 1908.
A. E. BLECKMAN,
Notary Public.

A BRYAN MAN CHALLENGES
TAFT MEN TO DEBATE

On the first page of this number
of The Tribune there appears an ar-
ticle devoted to discussion of the
political issues of the campaign, in-
dicted by one who subscribes him-
self, "An Independent Voter." The
writer says he was a Roosevelt re-
publican, and now he is a Bryan
democrat, and he tells in well chosen
and forceful language how he jus-
tifies his attitude.

It is not the purpose of this edi-
torial to endorse or contest the po-
sition of the anonymous author of the
article to which reference is made,
but it is rather our intention to
create interest in the public exploi-
tation of both sides of the political
controversy through these columns.
The author of the article to which we
have given space suggests the plan,
and as it is fair to presume he in-
tends to take an active part in the
argumentation, we desire to say that
he is a gentleman of prominence, a
man of refinement and open-minded-
ness with whom none need hesitate
to engage in public debate. That his
name is withheld is not due to his
wish, but to his necessity, there ex-
isting conditions which might make
the exposure of his identity a source
of embarrassment to him in a busi-
ness way. Having experienced this
predicament, he suggests that the
names of all who enter the discus-
sion, who desire it, shall be kept se-
cret, so that no man need be de-
terred from expressing his views to
avoid unpleasantness or business loss.
He adds that so far as he is con-
cerned, he has no objection to his
name being known to others who
participate in the debate, feeling that
such mutual confidences as may be
indulged in would be respected by all
who were recipients of them.

We have an aversion to the anonym-
ous communication, but in this
case, as we reserve the right to re-
fuse publication of utterances of a
personal or unkind nature, we can
see no harm in adopting this method.
Such a debate as has been suggested
will be a valuable political school
to readers who follow it, and we hope
that the best intelligence of local ad-
herents of both parties may be de-
voted to the discussion. That the ar-
ticle we publish today will call forth
an answer from a Taft admirer, we
cannot doubt, for political allegiance
should compel some reply to an argu-

ment that is, unanswered, so damag-
ing and convincing. We will hold
the columns of The Tribune open to
the writer of that article, and to all
others who desire to contribute on
either side of the controversy, and
with the doctrine of Bryanism so ably
expounded, going as often as the au-
thor chooses to 6,300 families rep-
resenting 25,000 to 30,000 readers,
it will be found incumbent upon re-
publican leaders here to attempt re-
futation.

To summarize, our proposal is this:

The Tribune opens its pages
daily for the use of participants
in a political debate.

The names of the contributors
must be given in confidence to the
publisher, but need not ap-
pear in print.

No participant will be allowed
to indulge in personalities af-
fecting local people, or to say
disagreeable things such as
would not be countenanced in
debate in a parliamentary or-
ganization.

This debate may be a contin-
uous performance from now un-
til election time, next Novem-
ber.

The same prominence will be
given to each letter, no matter
what the partisanship of its
contributor.

In conclusion we suggest that Taft
leaders in La Crosse county read the
article in today's issue carefully,
and determine whether it will not be ad-
visable, in view of its having reached
thousands, to answer it in this news-
paper, that the same thousands may
hear the other side of the story.

PAPER CHALLENGES BRYAN.

Under the caption, "An Open Let-
ter From the Chicago Tribune to
Hon. William Jennings Bryan," the
paper yesterday published the follow-
ing in its editorial columns:

"The Tribune from time to time
has given space to Willis J. Abbot,
manager publicity department of the
democratic national committee, and
so extensive extracts from your
speeches.

"As these speeches increase in
number and broaden in their scope,
amazement grows that you should
seriously discuss the proposed legis-
lative enactment of policies to which
you stand pledged, when, in the very
nature of things, you cannot ex-
ercise such legislation the slightest
control, even though elected.

"If it be true that, as president,
you could not carry out a single legis-
lative enactment, how can you, in
good conscience, leave the impres-
sion with the people that your elec-
tion would result in securing the
policies you advocate?

"The United States senate, as you
know, will be republican during the
next four years and longer.

"In your Labor day speech deliv-
ered in this city you belittled the
kindly utterances of Mr. Taft on the
subject of labor and declared that
while his declarations might be
binding on Mr. Taft, if elected, they
would not be binding on the republi-
can United States senate or the mem-
bers of congress.

"How, then, could you, if elected,
hope to secure any better legislation?
"How can you, the leader of an op-
posing party, expect to secure from
a republican senate legislation that
you declare your opponent, a republi-
can, could not secure if elected?

"The Tribune, though supporting
Mr. Taft, has also treated you fairly.
We gladly will give the widest pub-
licity to your reply to the following
questions. And we are free to ex-
press an earnest hope that we are
wrong and that you are right.

"It is unpleasant to harbor the
thought, even for a moment, that a
man who aspires to be president of
the United States would for an in-
stant stoop to purposely mislead.

"The questions are:
"1. If a republican senate
would not submit to Mr. Taft's
kindly suggestions concerning
labor legislation, how can you
promise, or even intimate, that
your election would result in in-
ducing the same senate to do
what you say it would not do for
Mr. Taft?

"2. How do you expect to se-
cure any legislation you are
promising the people unless
you have the hearty support of
a republican congress, and at the
same time base your claim to the
vote of the people upon the as-
sumption that the republican
party is against your every
policy?

"The third question really involves
the two preceding:
"3. We respectfully ask what
legislation, what remedies, what
tariff reforms, what anything,
legislative, could you, a demo-
cratic president, give to the peo-
ple without the co-operation of
a republican senate?

"The small politician and a part
of the press may be inclined to mis-
quote and misinterpret the meaning
of this letter. You will not. The
Tribune is not claiming, as you have,
that the republican senate will ob-
struct just legislation. We do claim
that it will do its duty. But either
you must concede that the republi-
can congress will do what you con-
fess that, as president, you will be
utterly impotent.

"Very respectfully yours,
"THE TRIBUNE."

It seems incumbent upon Mr. Bry-
an to answer this letter. The Chicago
Tribune, which writes it, has
treated Mr. Bryan most fairly, in
that while opposing his election it
has opened its columns without re-
serve to the writings of Mr. Abbot
and the speeches of Mr. Bryan, thus
giving them, the advantage of its im-

SPOTLIGHTS

Max Figman Thursday
Max Figman will make more
friends and admirers with his new
play, "The Substitute," than he ever
did with "The Man on the Box," and
that is saying a great deal. "The
Substitute" gives him just as many
opportunities to create laughter and
much better scope to prove his worth
as an actor. The story of the play
is different from any other that has
been seen on the stage and complete-
ly supplies the public demand for
novelty. The first act occurs in a
lawyer's office in New York, the sec-
ond is located in the sitting room
of the parsonage at West Appleford,
Connecticut, the third act transpires
in the garden of the parsonage and
the last act occurs in the court room
at Waterloo, Connecticut.

Manager John Cort has provided
Max Figman with a larger company
and more pretentious productions
than ever before. The date set for
the engagement in this city is for
Thursday night, September 24, at the
La Crosse theatre.

Miss Hayward Tomorrow
The personnel of the Grace Hay-
ward company which comes to the
La Crosse theatre for Sunday matinee,
is this year stronger than ever,
headed by Miss Hayward herself and
a supporting company of eighteen
people. She opens a week's engage-
ment at the La Crosse theatre pre-
sented an absolutely new wine of roy-
alty plays, carrying an enormous out-
lay of scenery and several large
vaudeville features, which will be
changed each night during the en-
gagement. On the opening night
Miss Hayward will present the new
society drama, "For Home and Hon-
or."

In view of the notable
lack of newspaper support, Mr. Bryan
is able to command, this is a conces-
sion of great value to him, and the
question asked being a fair one, the
Commoner should not ignore it.

However, the premises of the Chi-
cago paper seem to be faulty in this,
that it assumes that Mr. Bryan ad-
mits that Mr. Taft is not in sympathy
with the reactionary republican sen-
ators now in office. We do not un-
derstand that this is true.

We believe Mr. Bryan will answer
the questions, and without a de-
tailed examination of the records as
to the possibilities of changes in the
political complexion of the senate
two years hence, we presume he will
say that, should the republican sen-
ators defeat laws demanded by the
people during the first two years of
Mr. Bryan's incumbency, the people
will proceed to elect democratic sen-
ators who will do as their constitu-
ents desire. The Chicago paper con-
tends that Mr. Bryan could not do
more than could Judge Taft. Bryan
may reply that Judge Taft would not
do as much as Bryan, and that Mr.
Bryan could not do less than Judge
Taft would do.

ADMITS TAKING FUNDS

FERGUS FALLS, Minn., Sept. 19.
—Paul Monroe was brought down
from Langby to answer to a charge
of stealing \$225 in postoffice funds
from the store of A. J. Saterstrom
there. Entrance to the building was
gained through a rear window. Mon-
roe admits his guilt, and says he
had a glorious time while spending
the money. He will answer before the
federal court in this city.

As Near as He Dared

A couple of city men were playing
golf when they saw an old gentle-
man looking at them with a mis-
chievous look. He was mild in
speech and manner and played
well. But once when he had made a
foolish he ejaculated vehemently the
word: "Assoun!"

A few moments later when he had
made another bad play, he repeated:
"Assoun!"

The fourth time he said this one
of his new made friends said:
"I do not want to be inquisitive,
but will you tell me why you say
'Assoun' so often?"

"Well," said the old gentleman,
"Isn't that the biggest dam in the
world?"

He was a Presbyterian clergyman.
—Pick Me Up.

A Sprained Ankle.

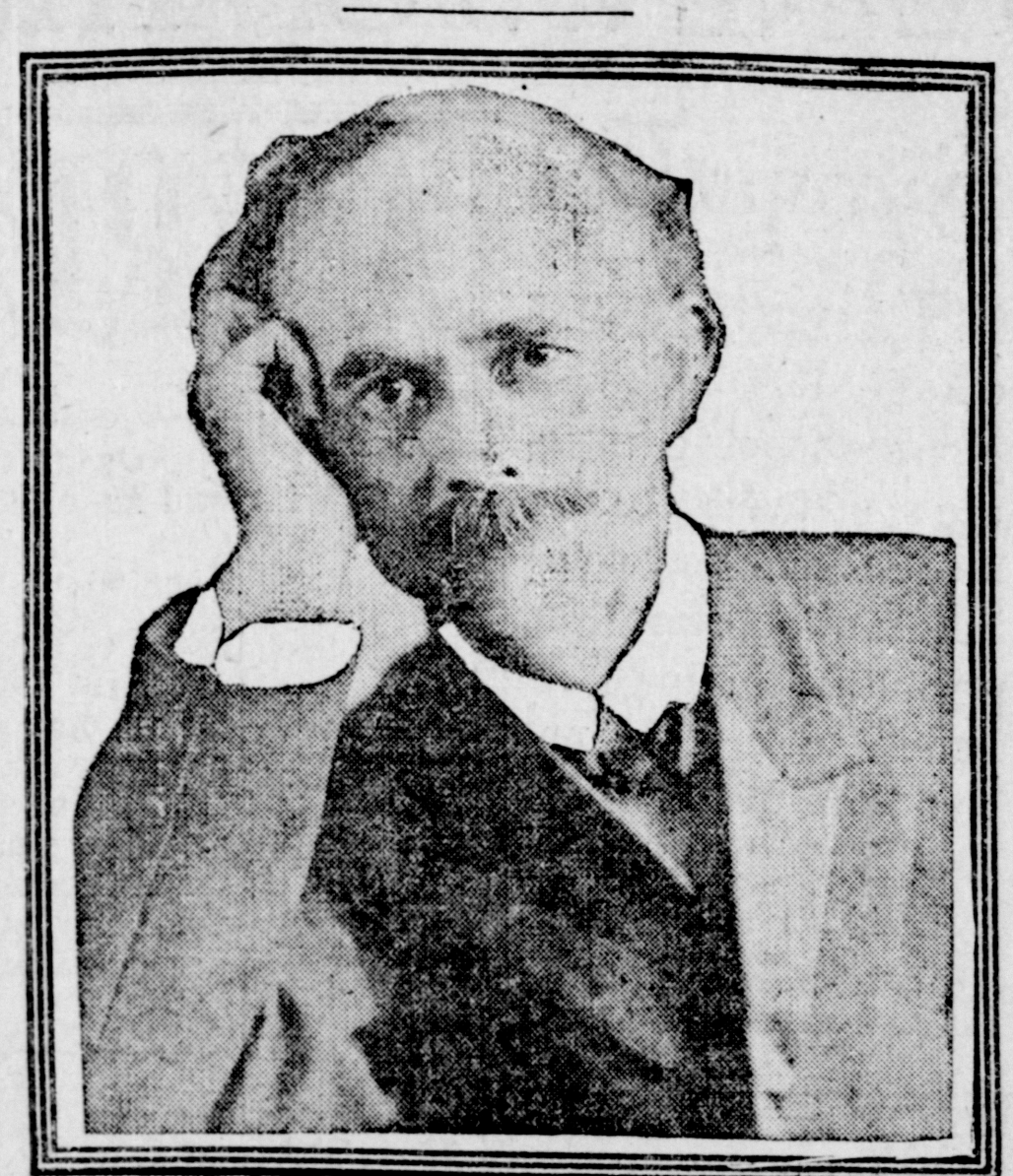
As usually treated a sprained an-
kle will disable the injured person
for a month or more, but by applying
Chamberlain's Liniment and observ-
ing the directions with each bottle
faithfully, a cure may, in most cases,
be effected in less than one week's
time. This liniment is a most re-
markable preparation; try it for a
sprain or a bruise, or when laid up
with chronic or muscular rheumat-
ism, and you are certain to be de-
lighted with the prompt relief which
it affords.

By Inference

Lady Applicant—I see, sir, that
you advertise for a partner, and as
sex wasn't mentioned, I called to—
Merchant—Pardon me, madam,
but I thought the question of sex
was quite covered. My advertisement
calls for a silent partner.—Boston
Transcript.

Always in Pursuit—"Do you love
me?" asked the beautiful girl. "As
the stars love the night," he hasten-
ed. "And would you follow me to
the ends of the earth?" It was then
that he lost some of his ardor.
"Great Hymen, girl, do you think I
am Prince de Sagan."—Exchange.

ACTIVE IN BEHALF OF "UNCLE REMUS" MEMORIAL



JUDGE BEN B. LINDSEY

Judge Lindsey is known over the
world for his work with juvenile
criminals. The Denver Judge is al-
ways ready with a helping hand for
the boy or girl. It is very natural
he should so actively interest him-
self in the proposed memorial for J.
Chandler Harris, under the direction
of the Juvenile Protective associa-
tion. This memorial, the funds for
which are now being raised, will be
located in Georgia and will be unique
in its educational methods. The
purpose of the school is to train and
develop into useful citizens children
whose surroundings might lead
them to waste their lives in crime
and shame. Four hundred and twenty-
six acres have been given, and this
new educational plan will be
known as "The Juvenile State."

No more fitting memorial could be
raised for "Uncle Remus" by the
myriads of children who have learned
to love J. Chandler Harris and
mourn his death, than this school.
It is to be backed by such people as
Jacob Reese, John Temple Graves,
Mrs. John P. Jones and others in-
terested in juvenile work. The plans
for the new school have not taken on
a definite form, but will be worked
out later. In a general way this
"Juvenile State" will be conducted
as nearly as possible along the lines
of a statement government. The cen-
tral educational building will be
known as the "capitol." The stu-
dents will comprise the various gov-

ernment officers, making laws, gov-
erning themselves and administering
laws, as far as possible. A president
will be elected. Two houses of con-
gress will represent the students to
be, of course, under the direction of
the instructors. This will be but a
part of the educational system which
it is hoped will broaden out and
make better citizens of the pupils
who come under its charge.

In addition there will be a mechan-
ical workshop, a thoroughly equipped
gymnasium and the regular school
curriculum will be taught, giving
such as wish the manual training
which will make them better equip-
ped for life's work. No broader or
more interesting development in the
educational field has ever been at-
tempted than this school which
Judge Lindsey is so actively inter-
ested in. And no man is better pre-
pared to direct the policy of such a
school than Judge Lindsey, who has
devoted his life to the study of boys
and girls whose surroundings have
not been what they should, and who
have suffered in consequence.

The judge is, to quote the phrase
of a boy who had just come in touch
with him, "on the square," and ev-
erybody realizes this.

"The chanceless" children will be
picked up from different sections of
the United States, no one locality
being favored over another.

QUIPS AND CRANKS
AND WANTON WILES

Glad
I'll be glad
With the summer gone;
No more cropping
Of the law,
No more flower
Buds about,
No more chickens
To shoo out.

No more rake &
And hoe and dig,
No more rooting
Like a pig,
No more training
Vine to grow
Ways that they
Don't want to go.

No more picnic
Things to lug,
No more chasing
The red bug,
No more skaters,
No more ants
Crawling round
A feller's pants.

No more heavy
Girls to push
In high swings,
And no more gush;
No more bugs
To try to wade
In the tub
Of lemonade.

I admit I
Used to scold
At the winter
Long and cold,
At the wind's
Cold slaps and stings;
I'd forgot
These other things.
—Houston Post.

A Mixed Compliment
Joseph Leiter, at a Washington
dinner party a few days before his
marriage, said he agreed with John
D. Rockefeller and Russell Sage that
young men with their way to make
in the world should not take vaca-
tions.

"A vacation doesn't strengthen
the average man," said Mr. Leiter.
"Deranging all his regular habits,
it weakens him. He plays too hard on
his vacation. He comes back home
thin and pale and tired.

"But good, hard, regular work,
with the temperate habits it neces-
sitates, is good for a young man's
health. Nearly all the breakdowns
laid to hard work are really due to
something else—to bad hours, to dis-
ipation."

"I always like to hear the story
my father used to tell of a big, rosy
country preacher who said, one Sun-
day morning in June:
"My friends, I am all run down
from the winter's work, and the col-
lection today will be devoted to my

THE IRON LORD

A Hitherto Unpublished Story of
Immense Power.
By
S. R. CROCKETT.
(Copyrighted.)

The next moment Phil had Vida
in his arms.

"Oh, you darling!" he was saying,
"how good of you! To promise to
marry me on the thirtieth! Oh you
!"

"Of course the house won't be
ready, but I can get a substitute up
at the pit and we will have a long
tour—Italy, Florence, Rome, Naples
and home by Switzerland. How's
that. I deserve it—Eh—what? Who
the—Vic Morris, by the Lord of the
Isles!"

They gazed in mutual astonish-
ment. But Vic Morris was not cast
down. Far from it—Vic Morris' feet
were dancing a little double shuffle.
He could not keep them still for joy.
"I see—I see!" he exclaimed, "I
have come the day after the fair.
You don't want to marry me then,
Vida? You never did?"

"Well, hardly," said that young
person, demurely. "It isn't legal, you
know. Or at least it won't be after
the thirtieth! Besides—there is that
change in your affections—"

"Don't laugh—" he said, seriously:
"I will be Phil's substitute for your
honeymoon or find him one—if you
let me off! I know it's a lot to ask
—if you don't make a laughing-stock
of me. I don't ask it for my own
sake. What an ass I have made of
myself! Oh, I say—what an ass!
How you must have laughed! I shall
laugh, too—by and by!"

"Tell us who the girl is!" said
Vida, "and we won't tell either—we
promise."

"Oh," cried Vic, "it scared me
stark, I tell you, coming out here, and
jawing away to you solemn as an
owl. I made dead sure you would
have me."

"Thank you!" said Vida, very
dryly.

"But for the—the other lady—I
really can't tell in the least whether
she will have me or not. She is al-
ways laughing at me. She may send
me by the board as you have done."

"Which of you wrote the longest
letters and answered quickest?" said
Phil. It was a problem which pleased
his sense of feminine probabilities.

"She did!" said Vic, promptly.
"She is much cleverer."

"Then she will have you, Morris.
Go where glory waits you!" Vic held
out his hand—both his hands—to
Vida and Phil, one each.

"I'm not sure whether you have
broken my heart or made me the hap-
piest man in the world," he said.

"I'll tell you tomorrow—oh, this af-
ternoon, I mean. I have Grindling's
trap down there in the village. But,
that is such a beast of a way! Takes
such a time!"

"Here is Grindling's bicycle," said
Phil, "take that and get it over. I
will drive the trap back in the after-
noon and hear the news!"

"Who is she—oh, don't go like
that? Tell us—tell me! Who is
she?" called out Vida, beseechingly.

"Janet Fowler!" said Vic, jump-
ing on the bicycle Phil had been rid-
ing and making off up the hill with-
out waiting for comments on his an-
nouncement.

"Well, I never!" cried the girl,
who after all was like other girls,
"what can he see in her?"

"Probably," said Phil, gently re-
tailing his place, and speaking softly
in her ear, "very much what I see in
you!"

And they were content to let it go
at that—other things more immedi-
ately occupying their joint attention.

CHAPTER XLVI

The Wisdom of the Wise.

Vic Morris rode away from Portog-
arten, rapidly at first, but though
he was in the finest training and the
loaned machine suited him to a mar-
vel, he gradually went slower and
slower till he could almost have
walked as fast. Vida's easy dismissal
of his offer—the completeness of
Phil Calmont's victory had robbed
himself of his self-confidence.

That had always been his strong-
hold—his sequence, his four aces,
his "Austrian Army Awfully Array-
ed," as Janet had explained to him
more than once. He remembered the
last expression. He thought it sound-
ed like Shakespeare. Vic Morris had
never failed in anything before. Of
course, they had "fired" him from
the Incubus pits—but then anybody
who does his work too well to please
other people, must expect that. So
Vic did not mind being simply
"fired." His pride was not hurt by
what man could do to him. But
woman—girls—they were another
matter. He had, as he said "slipped
up" with Vida. She had been laugh-
ing in her sleeve at him—him—Vic
Morris, who up till now had always
had his own way—or taken it. How
had he? Why, by crashing through
all peevish oppositions, with his head
down, like a bull charging a hazel-
copple whose parted shoots smart
his flanks.

But suddenly, from Vida's attitude,
he conceived a dread of what was be-
fore him. The nearer to Kirktown he
got, the less did he desire to enter
without preparation into the pre-
sence of Janet of the Eyes of Live
Sapphire. He called to mind her let-
ters. One by one he conned them.
He remembered whole passages. Yes
—sitting in the Hotel Colon, or up
on the brown slides of the Sierra,
they had seemed pretty conclusive.
But now, there was the shock of
Vida—of Phil—once his assistant,
the lad to whom he had taught the
very A. B. C. of his work, whom even
yet he could hardly trust (so in his
bitterness he told himself) "to chop
kindling wood without cutting him-
self." Yet Phil Calmont had been
preferred before him! It was unbel-
ievable. Phil had held Vida in his
arms. He, the rejected—Ludovic
Morris, C. E.—had heard her laugh
even as she pushed Phil away—the
laugh that only one man hears from
a woman—the laugh that Vic Morris
had never yet heard in his life. And

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catarrh. It may be of the nose, throat,
lungs, stomach or some other internal
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the handling of it.

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he hummed "The Voice That Breathed
O'er Eden," which did not make
things easier at all.

Then something that his friend,
Mr. Irongray had said to him after he
had been "fired" by those Incubus
people swam up from the under-
depths of consciousness, "The last
shall be first!"

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THE COMPLETE NEWS OF THE NORTH SIDE TODAY

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The directors' special which left Milwaukee at 1 p. m. will arrive here about 11 o'clock tomorrow morning. The officials will stop over at Portage tonight probably to visit President Earling's home at Oconomowoc. The special will consist of three or four private cars of the finest possible construction in regard to elegance and luxury. The party which will be composed of President Earling, Roswell Miller and the board of directors, will make a brief inspection of the property here and will probably not go to the south side at all. The inspection is the annual tour after the election of officers which was held in Milwaukee today. The most important part of the inspection will be the western extension and undoubtedly the directors will give most of their time to this project as it represents millions of dollars.

Work on Yards and Roundhouse
The work on the new yards here is progressing rapidly and the officials expect to get the work completed inside of a month. The work was to have been done by the first of October but owing to a delay in the receipt of materials the labor could not be rushed as it ought to.

The roundhouse is undergoing a big improvement and a couple of gangs of men will be here Monday to assist in pushing the work to completion. The house will have 12 new stalls of the large size which will be so arranged as to allow the engines to head in as they do in the large new roundhouses. This will necessitate in building a V shaped roof such as is used in the roundhouses in the larger cities. The new house will have 37 stalls against 44 in the roundhouses in Minneapolis and Milwaukee, so the local house will be the largest between those places.

FIREMAN HIT BY A WATER CRANE

Adam Tennis, a fireman on the river division of the Milwaukee, and well known among railroad men in the city, is not expected to live as the result of being struck by a water crane at Dayton's bluff, near St. Paul. Tennis was just going out on number 68 and was leaning out of the window when he was hit by the crane which barely clears the tracks. He was taken to a St. Paul hospital and an examination showed that the skull had been fractured. He had a wife in Minneapolis where he resides and was one of the most popular railroad men on the division.

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NORTH SIDE BRIEFS.

Rev. W. W. Hurd, formerly pastor of the Caledonia M. E. church, will preach tomorrow at 10:30 a. m. and Rev. A. L. Wood will preach at 7:30 p. m. Other services as usual. C. J. Colby of Eau Claire is calling on North Side friends for a few days.

Charles Dillery of Minneapolis is visiting friends on the North Side this week.

George Phillips, Sr., who has been confined to the St. Francis hospital as the result of breaking a leg has been removed to his home on Caledonia street.

Miss Ena Borreson has left for Caledonia where she will take up her duties as a teacher in the public schools.

Spence Miller has purchased the barber shop owned by John Krueger who moved to Bangor recently.

Fred Rund returned to his home in Pine Bluff, Ark., after visiting friends and relatives on the North Side for some time.

The Caledonia street M. E. church will have charge of the White Dining hall at the Inter-State Fair grounds next week. Dinner and lunch will be served at all hours for visitors during the week.

DAMAGE SUIT IS BEFORE THE COURT

Friday afternoon a suit for damages brought against the Hymn-Crosby company by Magdala Spies was started. The damages are asked for damage done to a building owned by the plaintiff and occupied by the firm. Attorneys Morris and Hartwell and George Gordon appeared for the defendants, while Attorney A. E. Bleckman has the case of the plaintiff.

The following jury was empanelled: W. P. Kienholz, H. P. Roberts, F. Geisenheimer, A. Webber, Arthur Drake, August Miller, J. C. Moore, R. W. Keyes, N. C. Wall, R. Kreutz, H. Schroeder, Charles Jost.

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CHURCHES

Norwegian Lutheran.
Corner Charles and Sill streets. Rev. E. O. Vik, pastor. Morning services, 10:30; evening, 7:30. Sunday school at 9 a. m. Onalaska, 3 p. m. Subject, "Growing in Grace." The sermon is especially for young people. Evening service at 7:45. Sermon subject, "Much Required for Much." Christian Endeavor, 6:45; Junior Endeavor, 3 p. m.; Sunday school close of morning service.

North Presbyterian.
Corner Logan and Avon streets. Rev. A. A. Randall, pastor. Morning services, 10:40; evening, 7:45. German Evangelical Lutheran.
Emanuel German Evangelical Lutheran church, corner of Avon and St. Paul streets. Rev. C. M. Thurov, pastor. No service on north side. Special service at Onalaska. Subject, "Home and Foreign Mission." Afternoon services at 2:30. Rev. Rader of Bangor will speak.

Scandinavian Baptist.
Scandinavian Baptist church, corner Charles and Logan streets. Rev. Iver Larson, pastor. Sunday services at 10:30 a. m. Sunday school at 12 m. Ed. Fores, superintendent. B. Y. P. U., 6:30 p. m. Evening service, 7:30.

Caledonia Street M. E.
Caledonia street, between Wall and Windsor streets. Albert L. Wood, pastor. At 10:30 a. m., preaching. Sunday school at 11:45 a. m. Epworth league meeting 6:45 p. m.

Bethel Norwegian Lutheran.
Bethel Norwegian Lutheran church, corner Sill and George street. O. L. Christenson, pastor. Sunday morning services, 10:30. Evening service, 7:45; Sunday school, 9 a. m. Ladies' society, Wednesday, 2:30 p. m. in the church parlors. Prayer meeting Wednesday 7:45 p. m.

Latter Day Saints.
The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, 1510 Avon street. Services every Sunday. Sunday school at 10:30 a. m. Preaching at 7:30.

Trinity Lutheran.
Trinity Lutheran church on Avon street. Rev. T. T. Hovstad, pastor. Services Sunday, 7:45. No morning service.

Tabernacle Baptist.
The Tabernacle Baptist church, Clinton and Avon, Leslie Lee Sanders, pastor. Services at 10:30 a. m. Sermon by the pastor. Theme, "The Eternal Dwelling Place, 12 m. Sunday school; 6:45 p. m., B. Y. P. U.; 7:45, evening service. Sermon by the pastor. Theme, "By All Means Same Some." Music by chorus choir. Violin solo and duet by the Misses Foster.

Norwegian Methodist.
Norwegian Methodist church, corner Berlin and Sill streets. Rev. Eliot Hansen, pastor. Morning services 10:30; evening, 7:45, on south side.

Second German Methodist.
Second German Methodist church, corner Berlin and Clinton streets. W. P. Schleip, pastor. Service at 10:30 a. m.

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When the Third regiment reaches the Fort Benjamin Harrison next Monday it will be brigaded with the First Kentucky regiment for the first time since 10 years ago when in real war it marched across the island of Porto Rico.

On Sunday night two trains will leave Wisconsin under command of Orlando Holway, for Fort Benjamin Harrison, bearing the Wisconsin National guard which will participate in the army maneuvers to be held at that place. A train of 15 cars will leave La Crosse with the local companies and this train will also take the companies from Sparta, Tomah, Mauston, Portage, Wausau and the Viroqua band. The other train, which will be of five cars, will leave Hudson, Wis., at 6:20 and will carry the Hudson, Menominee, West Superior, Eau Claire and Neillsville companies, together with horses and baggage.

One of the entire enlistment of the Third regiment, 850 men, 750 will go to Indianapolis. They will return home on October 1.

The local companies will take nearly the full number, 51 men, and 3 officers, and will mobilize at their respective halls at 8 p. m.

BRYAN OR KERN MAY COME HERE

According to County Chairman John F. Doherty, democrats in this county have strong hopes of securing Bryan and probably Kern to address gatherings here. "As yet we have received no definite knowledge of what we can do along this line," said Mr. Doherty this morning, "but we will make every effort to secure the speakers."

The first ward has organized a Bryan and Kern club and according to Mr. Doherty efforts will be made to organize these clubs in every ward in the city.

Among the distinguished visitors who were in the city last night were Senator Gaveney of Arcadia, Congressman Murphy and daughter Katherine of Plattville, ex-Senator Ekern of Trempealeau county, County Judge Cowey of Trempealeau county, and F. J. Shane and Mr. Garland of West Salem.

During the stay here last night Mrs. Gore and Miss Murphy were entertained by Mrs. W. F. Wolfe.

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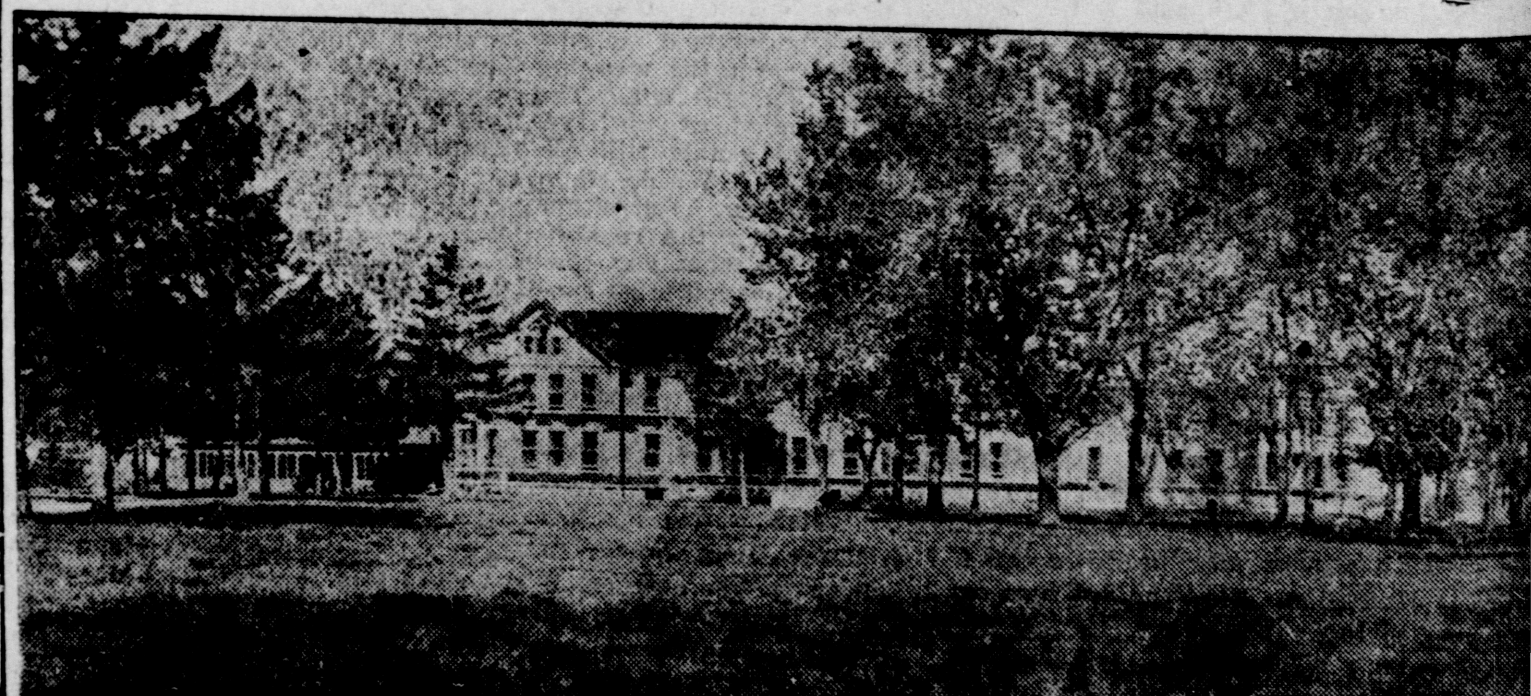
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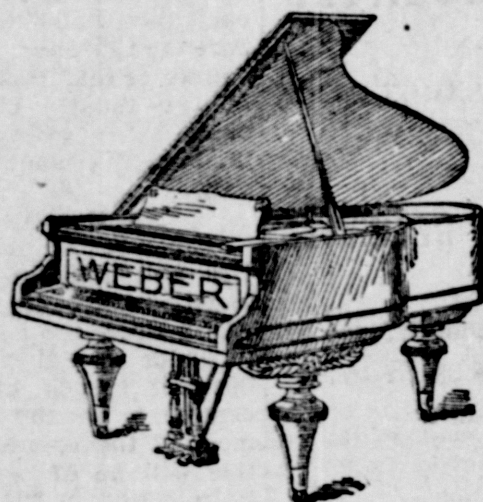
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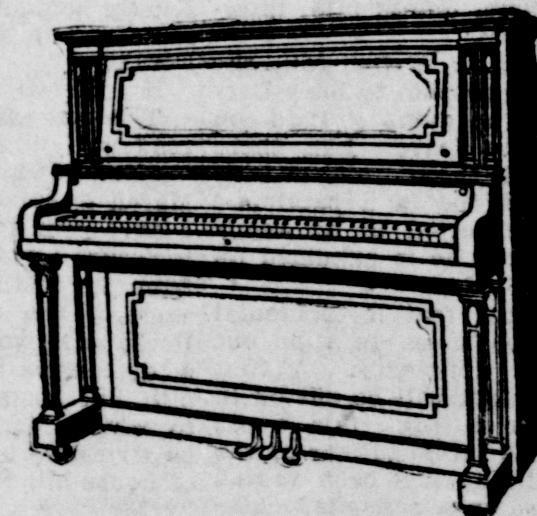
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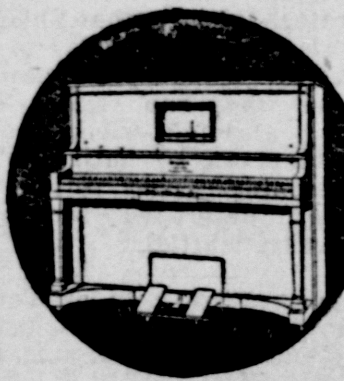


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| 1—Mason & Hamlin |\$22 |
| 1—Bay State Organ |\$18 |
| 1—Beatty Organ |\$20 |



BY ALICE WHEELER.

CAMP LAKEVIEW.

The families of John Culp and Jesse Winter who have been camping at Lakeview the past two weeks, returned to their homes in Grand Crossing Monday. Mr. Culp and family left the 18th for a visit with his parents in Ohio. After their return they expect to go to Lakeview again to resume their hunting and fishing. They had fine success while there. Mrs. James Boorman of Stockholm, Wis., and her son Carl, who is attending Toland's business college in La Crosse, spent Saturday night and Sunday at Frank Hoag's.

Mrs. Rob. Moffat of Pawpaw, Ill., has been visiting her cousin, Miss Frank Chichester. The school house in the Richmond district presents a neat and attractive appearance. It has been thoroughly renovated and the interior newly painted. A new organ and a beautiful desk for the teachers have been put in each room. Surely the directors have every reason to be proud of their work. Miss Anna Graves who had charge of the upper room last year, will teach in the same room this year.

Henry Benz has a new Forecycle engine in his launch. The Maid O' the Mist Monday took a launch party up the Mississippi in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Efra Watson of Sycamore, Ill., who have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hoag.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Mairich were among the number who enjoyed the ride and picnic dinner at Pettibone park.

Monday evening Mr. and Mrs. Watson returned to their home accompanied by Byron Hyde, who had charge of the Maid O' the Mist this season.

Mrs. O. A. Van Pelt of Galien, Mich., and Mrs. E. Foss of La Crosse visited the former's sister, Miss Graves, at the upper school Friday.

DOINGS OF THE WEEK.

Monday Mrs. Van Steenwyk entertained a company of twenty-four ladies at luncheon at the Country club.

Mrs. Estelle Sawyer entertained a party of eighteen ladies Wednesday at luncheon at the Country club.

Mrs. F. C. Suiter and Mrs. Dan MacMillan gave a luncheon today at the Country club. There were about thirty in attendance.

Mrs. W. A. Powell and Mrs. A. F. Reitzel gave card parties Wednesday and Thursday at the home of Mrs. Powell. The first day ten tables of

bridge were played. Five hundred was the game for the next day, and there were ten tables in evidence upon that day.

Friday and Saturday Mrs. J. A. Callahan and Mrs. W. H. Tarbox and Miss Tarbox entertained at two large teas at the home of Dr. Callahan.

Motor rides are quite the fad now and happy is the person who owns a car or has a near and dear friend, the possessor of one. Every day parties of six or eight make trips to the neighboring towns. It is quite an event when a large touring car with its jolly load of young people rolls into the quiet little towns, stirring them up with the blare of their horns.

YEOMEN PICNIC.

The picnic given by the ladies of the Brotherhood of American Yeomen last Monday at Pettibone park was a splendid success. Over fifty members were present during the day. All kinds of amusements were indulged in, including dancing. A picnic supper was had at 6 o'clock.

The Brotherhood of American Yeomen will have their headquarters at the fair grounds during fair week. All members and friends are invited to come there and rest. Handsome souvenirs will be given to parties interested in Yeomanry.

SURPRISED BY CLASS.

Mr. William Stotera, 1427 George street, was pleasantly surprised by his Sunday school class Friday evening. The evening was spent in a delightful manner. Those present were: Haidee Nelson, Ella Picha, Gertrude Clemens, Pearl Johnson, Minnie Knight, Sarah McReynolds, Ethel Hayes, Grace Harris and Julia Button.

SOCIAL BRIEFS.

Miss Ava Cordell is expected to arrive home on the 5:30 Burlington Sunday evening, after spending a three months' vacation with relatives in Indiana.

MRS. CALLAHAN, MRS. AND MISS TARBOX ENTERTAIN

Mrs. J. A. L. Callahan, Mrs. W. H. Tarbox and Miss Tarbox were hostesses at two large 5 o'clock teas at the home of Dr. Callahan. There were eighty guests present upon each day. The large rooms were made unusually attractive by the lavish use of bright autumn flowers and foliage. In the front hall yellow

marigolds and sunflowers toned down by green foliage were used. In the reception room were masses of red salvia, ferns and foliage. The mantles and chandeliers were festooned with wild clematis, its white blossoms peeping like stars from among the green vines. Pink and white cosmos were used in various parts of the room, giving it a dainty effect. Pink and white cosmos were used in the dining room. The large screened porch was made attractive by the use of rugs, and couches. Clematis, white carnations and trailing vines made it a place of beauty. Several of the refreshment tables were stationed here; fortunate was the guest who found her seat in this delightful nook.

The ladies who assisted in serving were, Friday, Misses Phoebe Dudley, Anne Ray, Hazel Josten, Cora Schultz, Agnes Vincent, Emma Rofling and Mabel Bryant. Mrs. Hiram Goddard, Mrs. J. L. Pettingill and

Mrs. W. R. Montague assisted through the rooms. There were about the same number present this afternoon at the second tea. The ladies assisting were Mrs. W. R. Montague, Mrs. Frank Davis, Mrs. A. F. Reitzel, Miss Blanche Holcomb, Miss May James and Miss Alice Wheeler.

CLUBS.

The Jolly Sextette club was delightfully entertained Friday evening by Miss Bertha Berghaus. The program consisted of games and music, several vocal selections rendered being greatly appreciated by the guests.

SURPRISE UPON MR. AND MRS. WESTON

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Weston upon their return Friday evening from Minneapolis found a most pleasant surprise awaiting them. A number of their friends had gathered at their

home, which had been decorated with red roses, smilax and ferns. Festoons of smilax and flowers were suspended from the chandeliers. Covers were laid for thirty. Red and white ribbons with place cards attached radiated from the center to each guest's place. Many beautiful presents were presented to the host and hostess. Mr. Weston is one of the popular mail carriers of this city. Those present were Messrs. and Mesdames J. B. Turnbull, E. McNary, Jack Randall, A. Woods, the Misses Alice and Carrie Lindell, Ida Skalland, Ida Miller, Hatty and Ida Zilke, Mae Walker, Sadie Tillman, Birdie Nack, Nettie Delpenick, Emma Kosbat, Frieda Keller, C. Weston, Messrs. Oscar Stavrum, John Koeller, Joe McNary, Jack McKibben, Jean McNary, Masters Arthur Jokes and Jack Randall, Jr.

TWENTIETH CENTURY CLUB
Tuesday afternoon the Twentieth

Century club held a meeting at the home of Mrs. C. E. Emery. The president, Mrs. W. R. Finch, gave the opening address. Mrs. Homer Hart, Jr., had "Current Events," assisted by Mrs. George Bradish, Miss Agnes Vincent and Miss Florence Keating gave several piano and violin numbers.

RECEPTION FOR REV. AND MRS. IRISH

Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Irish were guests of honor at a farewell reception given them at the church parlors of the M. E. church Thursday evening. Rev. Irish, who has been pastor of this church for the past three years, has been a hard and conscientious worker in the church and has endeared himself to the members of the congregation. He has been assisted in his work by Mrs. Irish, who has also been active in church work, taking a lively interest in all pertaining to, not only the

good of the church, but in outside matters whenever she could. The departure of Rev. Irish from here means a promotion as he has been appointed presiding elder, or district superintendent of the Ashland district for the next six years.

Mr. Irish left Friday night for Neenah to attend the Wisconsin conference and appoint pastors to fill vacancies in the Ashland district. Upon his return he will meet Mrs. Irish at Eau Claire and together they will look up a location, which will probably be Eau Claire or Chippewa Falls. At the reception Rev. and Mrs. Irish were presented with a handsome case of silver of thirty-six pieces by the members of the congregation.

MRS. GUND ENTER-TAINS AT COFFEE

Mrs. Henry Gund entertained a dozen ladies yesterday afternoon at a coffee in honor of Mrs. John Gund.

EXTRA SPECIAL FOR FAIR WEEK AT THE AUDITORIUM THE GREAT SVINGALI

Has been Secured by the Saengerfest Association to Give a Continuous Performance
TUESDAY NIGHT AND EVERY NIGHT DURING FAIR WEEK

The Great Svingali will Attempt to Burry a Man for THREE DAYS and Many Other Startling Feats in Hypnotism that You Will Wonder and be Amazed at.

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Pain Weakens

Headache, rheumatism, neuralgia, or pains of any nature weaken the system—they are a strain upon the nerves. Almost instant relief can be obtained by taking Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills, and without any bad after-effects. Take one on first indication of an attack—it will ward it off. They are a pleasant little tablet, sold by druggists everywhere, 25 doses 25 cents; never sold in bulk.

"I was subject to constant headaches for a period of four years. At times I was almost unable to do the work in which I am engaged, that of station agent. Through the advice of a friend I tried Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills, and the result has been that I have entirely eradicated my system of those continuous headaches that follow a continual mental strain. They have done for me all that is claimed for them."

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"I have used Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills for a year now for neuralgia and find there is nothing like them. They surely have been a blessing to me."

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Your druggist sells Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills, and we authorize him to return the price of first package (only) if it fails to benefit you.

Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

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VIRGINIA Gold Medal Flour makes delicious baked stuff. RHODA.

You can sometimes flatter a woman by telling her you don't.

PLOT TO BURY MAN ALIVE DISCOVERED

CONSPIRATORS PLAN TO DIG GRAVE NEAR AUDITORIUM

LAST SAENGERFEST STUNT

Svingali Will Do it Tuesday—Auditorium Great Show House Fair Week—Boost!

They'll bury the man in front of the main entrance to the auditorium. The deed is to be done next Tuesday night. Details of the plot were secured through the agency of a talkative conspirator, who is being watched and will later be watched and chained.

The victim to be is Joe Daly. He never did anything in his life to be buried for. But he is going to get it, just the same, unless fate intervenes to save him.

The arch plotter is Svingali, the hypnotist. He proposes to bury Daly down deep in the damp ground on Tuesday, and to leave him there three days and three nights. Of course Daly will be in a cataleptic state, and is expected to be happy and hungry when he is exhumed on the following Friday.

This wonderful feat is incidental to the first step taken to wipe out the saengerfest deficiency. A first class entertainment will be put on in the auditorium during fair week, with Svingali as the headliner of the bill. The building has been rented for the purpose on a percentage basis, and Manager Coppelberger, of the Bijou, has consented to act as manager. The saengerfest managers have great hopes that this show will reduce the shortage in the treasury materially, and it is urged that all those who are signers of the guarantee fund should boost the thing along. The first performance will be given on Tuesday, and the closing performance the following Sunday night.

"Joe" Daly, the man who will be buried for three days and nights in front of the auditorium, is a subject of Svingali. He says he is not afraid of the cars.

GEORGE SMITH IS TAKEN ALIVE TODAY

(Continued from page 1.)

Into the house and made a thorough search of the lower floor without finding Smith. He then called upstairs for Smith to surrender himself, but for a reply received a bullet which entered his arm. Another followed which struck him in the cheek and passed through the lower jaw. Leaving Clancy in charge, the sheriff, wishing to give Mrs. Grabow medical aid, returned with her and the girl to Waukesha. On his arrival he had ordered out Deputy Sheriff Gibson with a posse and instructions to surround the house and to order all saloons in Calhoun closed. District Attorney Muckelstone also made one of the party.

Enraged Citizens Make Threats. On their arrival at Calhoun they found a crowd of several hundred angry citizens surrounding the house, many of whom made threats against the life of Smith. Their efforts were directed toward pacifying the crowd and preventing any serious outbreak. As the house was in utter darkness and fearing that Smith in his desperation might not hesitate at more bloodshed, the crowd contented itself with laying in wait outside, so distributed that every avenue of escape was cut off.

'BOB' WANTED 'TOM' TOM DON'T KNOW IT

MADISON, Wis., Sept. 19.—(Special.)—There is a meeting of the La Follette men here today, preliminary to the meeting next week of the republican state committee to draft a platform, elect a state chairman and otherwise complete the organization. Senator Morris of La Crosse is not here, although it is understood he was urged to come. The story is afloat here that La Follette men want an anti-Stephenson man of strength to run against Edmonds, Stephenson's political manager, as state chairman, and that Senator Morris was favored for the place.

Asked by The Tribune today regarding the above dispatch, Senator Morris said:

"It was true that I was invited to the meeting. I presume just as were other La Follette men. I have no knowledge of the purpose of the meeting beyond the usual routine preceding the meeting of a state central committee. My presence in court here was necessary today, and I was obliged to decline to go."

KAISER SAYS "I'M FOR PEACE."

BERLIN, Sept. 19.—Congressman Richard Bartholdt of Missouri read before the Interparliamentary union yesterday Andrew Carnegie's letter to the effect that Emperor William had power to abolish war. The letter was greeted with energetic applause, as was a telegram from the emperor thanking the delegates for their greeting. The telegram concluded thus:

"I hope that your conference will be effective in the preservation of the blessings of the world's peace, a matter which is especially close to my heart."

APPENDICITIS OPERATION

Sylvester Nevins, of the Tribune reporter staff, was operated upon at La Crosse hospital at noon today for appendicitis. He was resting easily this afternoon.

AT THE BIJOU THE GREAT SVINGALI

Will Feature "SHIP WRECKED" Tonight and The "ESQUIMO DANCE" Sunday Night.

Your last opportunity to see
HUGH J. EMMETT & CO.
The Great Ventriloquist.

UGLY ACCUSATIONS AGAINST FORAKER

(Continued from page 1.)

Kindly acknowledge the receipt of same and oblige. Yours very truly—Foraker."

Reads Archbold Letter

The text of the letters Mr. Hearst read at Columbus Thursday follows: "No. 26 Broadway, New York, March 9, 1900. My Dear Senator:—I have your favor of last night with inclosure, which latter, with letter from Mr. Elliott commenting on same, I beg to send you herewith. Perhaps it would be better to make a demonstration against the whole bill, but certainly the ninth clause, to which Mr. Elliott refers, should be stricken out, and the same is true of house bill No. 500, also introduced by Mr. Price, in relation to foreign corporations, in which the same objectionable clause occurs.

"Am glad to hear that you think that the situation is fairly well in hand.

"Very truly yours,

"JOHN D. ARCHBOLD.

"Hon. J. B. Foraker, Washington, D. C."

"No. 25 Broadway, New York, March 26, 1900. Hon. J. B. Foraker, 1500 Sixteenth Street Washington, D. C. Dear Senator:—In accordance with our understanding, I now beg to inclose you a certificate of deposit to your favor for \$15,000. Kindly acknowledge receipt and oblige, yours very truly,

"JOHN D. ARCHBOLD.

"No. 26 Broadway, New York, Feb. 16, 1900. My Dear Senator:—Here is still another very objectionable bill. It is so outrageous as to be ridiculous, but it needs to be looked after, and I hope there will be no difficulty in killing it. Am anxious to hear from you as to the situation as a whole. Very truly yours,

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Another Certificate Sent

"You will see, gentlemen," continued Mr. Hearst, "that these letters are not read at random, but they have a natural sequence. Here is the next:

"26 Broadway, New York, April 17, 1900. My Dear Senator:—I inclose you certificate of deposit to your favor of \$14,500. We are greatly at a loss in the matter, but I send this and will be glad to have a very frank talk with you when opportunity offers, if you so desire.

"I need scarcely again express our gratification over the favorable outcome of affairs. Very truly yours,

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Washington Surprised.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 19.—Senator Foraker's admission that he had been employed by Standard Oil came as a surprise to those who were familiar with his public career here. He had frequently been accused of favoritism towards the railroads, but if it was known in Ohio that he had served the Standard during his first term in the senate, that information never got as far as Washington. Even the muckrakers, who last year gave the senate such a grilling, failed to dig up such a connection, notwithstanding Foraker's signed statement that he had never made it a secret. Up to this time Foraker's name had never been mentioned even remotely in that connection.

Foraker's friends accept his word that his acceptance of fees had nothing to do with matters pending in congress or in which the federal government had an interest. They fear, however, it will have grave consequences on his political future.

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How successful Foraker was on every project concerned in the Archbold letters is shown by the records. Judge Burkett, who was one of the supreme court justices who gave the decision stopping Monnett's ouster suit against Standard Oil, was nominated, as Archbold sought Smith W. Bennett, brother-in-law of Monnett, was so badly defeated for the state attorney generalship that his name was not even offered at the convention; he was opposed by Archbold. Bennett was again defeated this year. Had Price bill, about which Archbold wrote Foraker, passed, it would have exposed eight years ago the fact that Standard Oil controlled the swarm of so-called independent oil companies in the state, which have since been ousted and are now doing business under their right names as Standard companies.

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Parker Jeweller
SIO MAIN ST.
LA CROSSE, WIS.

TWO PRIVATES AT SPARTA DESERTED

SOUGHT TO CATCH EARLY TRAIN BUT FELL ASLEEP

ARRESTED AND RETURNED

Both Men Guilty of Same Offense before and Will Be Tried by Court Marshal

SPARTA, Wis., Sept. 19.—(Special.)—Two privates, Wm. N. Nolan and Stambaugh escaped from Camp Esch early Wednesday morning, but were apprehended in Sparta by Marshal Holmes and Deputy Goodman Friday noon in Wolf's freight house at the Milwaukee depot.

Nolan escaped from the guard tent between 10 p. m. and midnight Tuesday evening. This is his second offense. He was tried once before for desertion from the coast artillery and was found guilty of absence without leave.

The two soldiers told Holmes that they had expected to get away Thursday night. They were hiding in the freight house waiting for the midnight train. It seems that Nolan had had no sleep so he intended to sleep and have Stambaugh play guard and wake him when the train came. Stambaugh also fell asleep and neither of them awoke until 5 o'clock in the morning. They will be tried for trying to desert very soon by the general court martial.

Battery A First field artillery of Michigan will have target practice with the new 3 inch field guns, latest model, Saturday.

Capt. Chas. M. Bunker left Friday evening for Fort Sheridan, Ill., preparatory to going to Fort Riley, Kan., for nine months' instruction at the mounted service school in equitation, cooking, packing, pioneer duty, horse shoeing and topography.

VANDERBILT DIVORCE SUIT.

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WANT TWO HOURS OF EXTRA STUDY

PROF. BENEZET ADDRESSES LETTER TO PARENTS

DEBATERS HEAR SEN. GORE

"Gabfests" at High School Delayed to Permit Pupils to Hear Some "Real" Arguments

"All pupils of the high school should spend at least two hours each day outside of school upon their lessons." Letters to this effect have been sent home to the parents and the teachers are doing all in their power to bring about this result. The investigations of Miss Lena Heide-man show that the average time spent on lessons outside of school hours amounts to about 45 minutes each day which is insufficient to insure the proper handling of the course. Prof. Benezet and the rest of the faculty of the high school earnestly urge the parents to aid in bringing about the desired result.

No Debates Last Night

The meeting of the Wendell Phillips and Lincoln Douglas Debating societies were dispensed with last night upon request of the members in order that they might attend the opening speech of the presidential campaign at the auditorium. As most of the members of these societies will be of age at the presidential election in 1912 they take a lively interest in the present political situation and are striving to absorb all the political knowledge in sight before casting their first ballot.

Bryan and Taft Speak

Bryan and Taft spoke to the students of the high school yesterday afternoon at the high school auditorium through a large phonograph. The news that the presidential candidates were to speak caused considerable excitement in the school and a large crowd gathered in the auditorium to hear them. When it developed that the speeches were to be given through phonograph many were disappointed but stayed to hear the speeches nevertheless.

OPEN BIG FAIR HERE NEXT WEEK

Local fair officers are busy preparing for the opening of the Interstate fair next week and Secretary C. S. Van Auker has moved his office from the Continental building to the fair grounds.

According to Mr. Van Auker the number of entries in the different events this year is far in excess of last year while the side shows are so numerous that trouble is being experienced in finding room for them.

Mr. C. A. Hunt, who has charge of the exhibition building and space for the shows says that never before has so many shows made application for space. This year the pike will be lined, starting from the grand stand, with good shows. The speed program has been completed and some fast races are scheduled.

The shows this year are of a better class than the usual fair show and the Indian and Igorrote villages, will attract considerable attention.

All space in the exhibition building has been let and with the exception of the north wing it will be taken up with exhibits of home manufacture. The north wing is to be used as an art exhibit.

A crew of men has been at work for some time repairing and repainting the fences and when the fair opens it will present a dazzling appearance. The track has been rolled and is in fine condition.

ELECTIVE PEERAGE TO BE INCREASED

LONDON, Sept. 19.—What is deemed one of the most startling developments in modern English history is foreshadowed in the coming recommendation of the committee of peers under the chairmanship of Earl Rosebery, that an increase in the percentage of elective peers in the house of lords be made. The committee, after a long, careful study of the form of the English government, decided that it needs expansion to meet modern demands, and made an announcement last night of the recommendation that it will make when parliament convenes. The committee tacitly admits that the existence of the house of lords as an hereditary body is threatened.

'DR. JOE' SAYS TALE IS "PIPE"

That his young squaw left him for another Winnebago "buck" is emphatically denied by Dr. Joe, Medicine Man for the Wisconsin Winnebagoes.

Dr. Joe some time ago took out a license to wed a young squaw, the first license ever taken out by an Indian. He left for the west to gather herbs to make his concoctions for the tribe and it was rumored that while away his bride-to-be had deserted him.

He was in Trempealeau yesterday, and when interviewed there denied the story emphatically.

JOHN GIANUTIE IS STRICKEN TODAY

John Gianutie of 1203 Badger street was stricken with paralysis early this morning while in the back yard. He called to his wife and was taken into the house and a doctor summoned. He will probably recover.

Old Folks
There are mighty few people beyond middle age who don't suffer at times, or all the time, with their liver or kidneys. Natural.
The human machinery is beginning to slow down from the wear and tear of years of use and often abuse. It's got to have assistance to keep it moving properly—particularly the liver.
You can hardly name one of your old friends who hasn't one of the following troubles:

Constipation
biliousness, indigestion, dyspepsia, sour stomach, sick headache, backache, kidney trouble, rheumatism and generally run down system.

Bad Liver Causes It
It is at the bottom of every one of these troubles. It becomes inactive (constipation and bowel trouble follow). Throws off poison and bile (biliousness, sick headache, etc., follow). Puts extra work on the kidneys (often causing Diabetes and Bright's Disease). Uric acid gets into the blood (rheumatism follows). Cure the liver and you'll cure the cause. Cure the cause and you'll cure the trouble.

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cures all troubles arising from disordered liver, kidneys, bowels or stomach.

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MINNESOTA AND THE NORTHWEST

CHARGED WITH KILLING FATHER

WALTER WHITEBECK ARRAIGNED AT WEST UNION, IOWA

WAS FOUND ON THE SPOT

But the fact that he was at place where murder took place doesn't prove guilt, say attorneys

WEST UNION, Iowa, Sept. 19.—Walter Whitebeck is now on trial for the murder of his father, Arlow Whitebeck, at West Union last spring. The victim was found in his own yard with his head crushed by a sled stake. His son was suspected and caught at Duluth after a chase through Minnesota.

Opening statements in the case were made this afternoon. The state promised to show that discord had existed in the family with Arlow Whitebeck on one side and his wife and their children on the other; that Walter left home Tuesday, March 17, and went to St. Paul; that he was seen by several persons returning the next day; that he was at the scene of the crime at the moment of its commission and that his clothes found at Rush City were blood marked.

Mr. Clements, for the defense, stated to the jury that locating Walter at the spot of the murder was the only evidence that would be of force in proving Walter Whitebeck a murderer, and that that presumably rests on the word of William Strickland, who found the dead body and reported it to the widow. As this would conflict with the evidence given by Strickland before the coroner's jury, the defense proposes to find out why he has changed. Mr. Clements also stated that Walter Whitebeck had formerly lived for a time at St. Paul and Rush City, Minn., and that he announced that he was going to revisit the old scenes there, and sent back souvenir cards from each place he visited.

Dr. Darnall and Dr. Ainsworth testified to the condition of the dead body, with the skull so pounded that there was a continuous fracture of sixteen inches and the brain pounded to a jelly.

Sheriff Culver testified to the topical setting of the event and was cross-examined minutely as to locations, distances and directions. He testified to finding an empty pocket-book and one cent on the ground. Cashier Bouska of the Fort Atkinson bank and Oliver Perry, clerk in a St. Lucas store, testified to the deceased having considerable money a day or two before he was killed. Sheriff Culver also identified several locks of hair taken from the dead man's hand, from under his armpit from under his arm pit from his head and from the club, but when Clerk Winston identified the valise containing Walter Whitebeck's clothes, the defense attempted to show it had not been carefully guarded, and court adjourned until evening to consider an objection to receiving it as evidence.

IS ARRESTED ON BIGAMY CHARGE

GRAND FORKS, N. D., Sept. 19.—George Busher is under arrest at Grafton on a charge of bigamy. It is charged that he abandoned his wife at Grafton and was married in Grand Forks last Saturday. His first wife had him arrested on the charge of abandonment and this led to the discovery that he is a bigamist. Wife No. 2 had had a peculiar experience. Her first husband, Ed Heffron, died a month ago. She met Busher a week later. Now she finds that she is a widow again.

REPUBLICAN VICTORY, MAYBE.

HOUGHTON, Mich., Sept. 19.—Robert H. Shields, chairman of the state tax commission who returned from a lower peninsula trip, says that sentiment throughout the entire state is strongly in favor of William H. Taft for president, and that the republican nominee will carry the state by from 100,000 majority upwards.



Miss Ann Teek—You don't think I look my age, do you, Mr. Blunt? Mr. Blunt—Well, I shouldn't think you would ever look it in the face.—Philadelphia Press.

THE DOERFLINGER STORE WILL BE OPEN EVENINGS DURING INTER-STATE FAIR WEEK

MONDAY'S MATCHLESS AUTUMN ATTRACTIONS USHER IN THE BIG INTER-STATE FAIR!

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At this price we offer five styles of Ladies' Black Petticoats, the most wonderful values we have ever seen.

One Style is a Morreen finish with a deep embroidered flounce, really worth \$2.00.

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In the family shopping center we offer this group of bargains for Fair Week.

Heavy Dark Outing Flannel in plaids, stripes and checks per yd. . . . 9c
Medium and light colored heavy Outing Flannel in a large assortment of patterns at the yard 9c
Wool Dress Goods in plain colors, worth to 75c at the yard 39c
\$1.49 Lace Curtains, 54 inches, 3 yards long, at the pair 98c
Large 15c Huck Towels with border, each 10c
Dice Pattern Napkins, 16 inches square, very special at each . . . 5c
40-inch India Linon, very fine quality, at the yard 9c
25c Atomizers with rubber bulb and spray at 10c
Fancy Candy Baskets up from 3c
Women's 7½c Handkerchiefs, embroidered, at 5c
Elite Foot Powder, the box 9c
25c bottle Adams' Tooth Powder, at 12½c
Mountain Violet Water, at the bottle 12½c
50c bottle Golden Star Hair Tonic at 19c



AUTUMN SHOE BARGAINS

FIRST FLOOR

Hanan and Stetson's \$5 and \$6 Shoes, in patent, vici kid, and calf, blucher, button and lace styles, in a variety of shapes special at the pair \$3.29

Crossett and Just Wright Shoes and Oxfords in tan, patent and calf. Goodyear welt sewed soles, regular \$3.50 and \$4.00 values, special at the pair \$2.59

Women's Shoes, in vici kid with patent tips, patent colt and gun metal, blucher, lace and button styles, hand turn and Goodyear welt soles, values to \$3.50, special at the pair \$1.75

Misses' and Children's \$1.25 Shoes, vici kid with patent tips, extension soles, sizes 11 to 2, special at the pair \$1.00

SPECIAL: \$3.50 AND \$4.00 BON-TON CORSETS AT \$2.69

We have decided to discontinue two of our leading numbers in "Bon Ton" Corsets in reorganizing the fall line. One a popular straight front Princess Hip corset, adapted for women of medium slender build, made from superior white coutille and fine black sateen, has front clasp 11 inches long, it is daintily trimmed.

The other a superb Princess Hip, corsage with straight front effect, admirable to the needs and requirements of the average, full American figure, in fine white coutille only, with front clasp 12 inches long. These corsets sell respectively at \$3.50 and \$4.00, but having decided to discontinue the line, we shall offer them for this sale only to close at \$2.69



A TRIO OF WONDERFUL JEWELRY SPECIALS

FIRST FLOOR

GENTLEMEN'S \$12.50 WATCH \$3.95

We shall offer, during Fair Week only, a Gentleman's Solid Silver Watch, finished in beautiful wrought silver designs, embracing hunting scenes, art heads, etc., in the popular and stylish French grey finish, with artistic chasing and antique bow. This watch is a thin model, small size and strictly a gentleman's watch. The works are full nickled American make and have seven ruby jewels, compensating balance, Brequet hair spring, a fine enameled glass dial with patent dust spring. A strictly high grade watch which retails at \$12.50, special at \$3.95.

A Dollar Gold Ring for 25c.

25c Silver Oatmeal Spoons 10c

We shall offer the coming week choice from a lot of solid Gold Baby Rings, in beautiful hand chased patterns, 20 patterns to choose from, all made from heavy 10 karat gold and hand polished, best \$1.00 value ever offered, special at 25c

We shall offer choice of a lot of Rogers' solid nickel plated Oatmeal Spoons in plain tipped patterns, also pearl bead patterns, a splendid regular value at 25c special Fair week at 10c

Peruna
\$1.00 Bottle of Peruna, fair week at 79c

Castoria
35c bottle Fletcher's Castoria, fair week at 25c

Cigars
Three Cremo Cigars, fair week for 10c

Pipes
Briar Pipes with fine Amberine Stems, at 10c

Tobacco
American Beauty smoking tobacco put up in neat tin box, regular 10c value at 5c

Flannel
Dark Outing Flannel, fair week at the yard 3½c

Jelly Beans
One-half pound of Jelly Beans, fair week 5c

Blankets
Grey Bed Blankets, nicely napped each at 43c

Thread
Merrick's best 6-cord Machine Thread, at the spool 4c

A SALE OF HOUSEFURNISHINGS

IN THE GREAT BASEMENT HOUSEFURNISHINGS STORE ARE THOUSANDS OF HOUSEHOLD NECESSITIES AND HELPS FOR MAKING THE HOUSEWORK EASIER, AND HUNDREDS OF THESE ARE INCLUDED IN THIS SALE AT GREAT SAVINGS

14 and 17 quart retined Dish Pans, 25c values, at 10c

Nickle Plated Center Draft Lamps, 75 candle power, 10 inch shade, complete, regular \$2 value \$1.19

6-piece decorated white and gold Chamber Sets, at \$2.48

Cobler Outfits, containing all tools in above, regular 60c value, special 39c

10x13 Nickle Plated Engraved Trays at 8c

Flour Scoop, flat tin handles, each 13c

Glass Cutters, 6x17 hardwood adjustable steel blade, each 10c

Two sewed fine stock House Brooms, special 15c

Wave Edge Knife Sets, bread, cake and paring knife, spring steel nickled wire handles, at the set 15c

8-inch Crystal Glass Pickle Dishes, each 3c

Cottage Barometer and Thermometer, metal side posts, each 7½c

Oil Heater, No. 53, nickle top and trimmings, guaranteed not to smoke or smell, no more leaky tanks. Tanks are made of brass, all stoves tested before leaving factory, at \$3.48

6-inch Bowl Strainers, twisted wire handles at 5c

Family Scales, flat or scoop top, weights to 25c lbs, adjusting thumb screws, guaranteed, at 79c

Mail Boxes, 12 by 5½, cast iron, japanned, drop door, each 29c

HUSBAND COMMITS SUICIDE FOR WIFE

HAD BEEN HAVING TROUBLE WITH YOUNG WIFE

MAN HANGED FOR MURDER

Man Who Murdered Minnesota Homesteader Pays Penalty of Crime

FAIRMONT, Minn., Sept. 19.—Otto Joblinski, a farmer, 45 years of age, committed suicide at the home of his father-in-law, Paul Soller near Lewisville. Domestic troubles were the cause of the rash act. Joblinski had been having some trouble with his young wife, whom he married about a year ago, and she took her baby and went to town, saying she would secure a divorce.

WINNIPEG, Man., Sept. 19.—William Paul, of Pinewood, Ont., near the boundary, who murdered his companion, Henry Schelling, a northern Minnesota homesteader, on Dec. 6, last year, was hanged at Kenora, Ont. Before death he left a confession that he killed Schelling with a pair of skates in the heat of passion. He met death without flinching.

HATTON SUFFERS \$50,000 LOSS

NEW LONDON, Wis., Sept. 19.—Word has been received of the destruction by fire of the saw mill at Phillips, Miss., owned by W. H. Hatton and W. H. Dick. The mill had a capacity of 50,000 feet a day. The loss is \$50,000, partly covered by insurance.



MAX FISMAN

In "The Substitute," La Crosse Theatre, Thursday, Sept. 24

TOWN IS SAVED FROM DESTRUCTION

LADYSMITH, Wis., Sept. 19.—Forest fires which have been burning spasmodically west of this city for ten days became threatening and the fire department and 200 volunteers went out to fight back the flames. Back fires were set and buildings and other inflammable material was wet down from the city mains all along the western limits of the town. A west wind drove the flames toward the city, but this wind has greatly moderated, and the danger is believed to be nearly passed.

WINONA ABANDONS THE STREET FAIR

WINONA, Minn., Sept. 19.—Winona will have no street fair this fall, and the efforts to have a fall festival in its place have been abandoned, owing to the objection of many merchants to having carnival shows on the streets, it being maintained they are demoralizing in character.

The village of Arcadia, across the river, has completed plans for a street fair to be held Tuesday to Friday, inclusive, of next week.

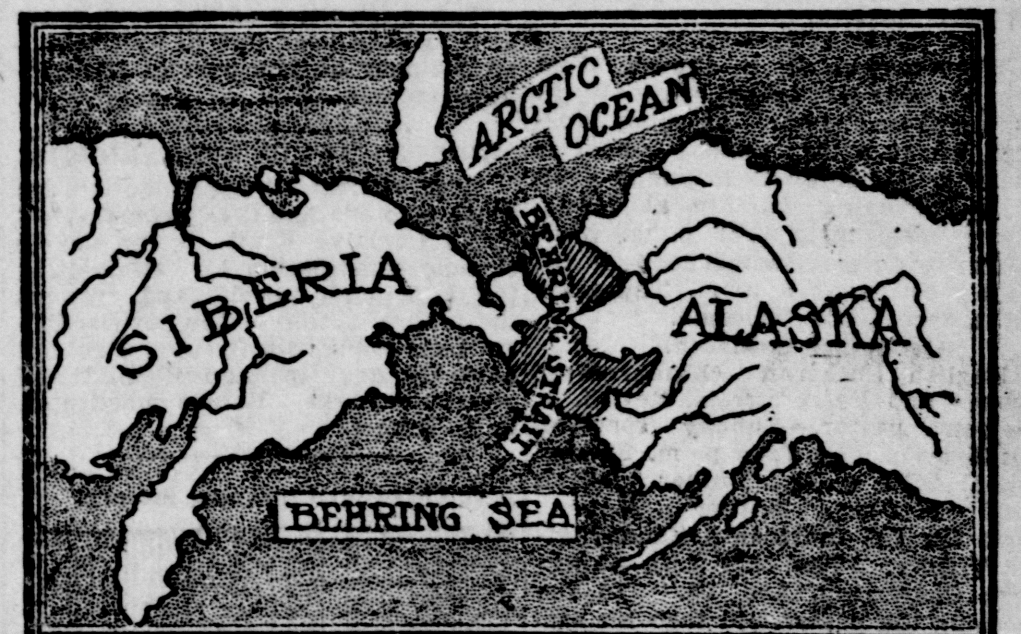
J. B. TIPPET IS LEAN'S SUCCESSOR

NEENAH, Wis., Sept. 19.—The members of the Milwaukee district, attending the East Wisconsin M. E. conference, met and balloted on their preference for a new district superintendent to succeed J. S. Lean, whose six years of service expires at this time. Rev. W. W. Stevens of Kenosha, second, and Rex. Enoch Perry of Milwaukee, third. The selection of the district superintendent will be announced Monday.

WILL KILL ALL DOGS.

BOONE, Ia., Sept. 19.—The mad dog scare in Fraser is growing worse. A big bloodhound, frothing at the mouth, tied up in a cage, broke his chain. He bit many other dogs and got away before the citizens could

PROOF THAT ASIA AND AMERICA WERE ONCE JOINED TOGETHER



SEATTLE, Sept. 18.—For the first time in history the proof of the fact that Siberia and Alaska were once joined along the Aleutian chain will be on exhibit at the big Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition at Seattle next year. This fact, although surmised for a long time, has only been scientifically established in the past two or three years.

It was in 1906 that E. M. Kindle and J. M. Burnett of the United States geological survey visited the valley of the Yukon. In the course of their search they discovered several specimens of fossil invertebrates which do not exist in any other portion of the continent of America, but which do exist in Siberia. This does point conclusively to a former junction of the two continents.

According to the recently issued report of these scientists, it was not known before that these fossils which they discovered existed on any portion of the continent of America.

A number of the best of these relics of former times, which are to be exhibited at the 1909 exposition in Seattle, were dug from the mud at the bottom of a river bed by the two scientists with the greatest difficulty and labor.

kill him. He tore through the woods howling, barking and snapping at trees. There are only a dozen dogs left in Fraser, and they will be killed.

GIRL FIGHTS HIGHWAYMAN

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Sept. 19.—Marie Draves, aged 17 years, fought

for five minutes with a powerfully-built highwayman in the rear of Nathan A. Weinbaum's residence, 129 Thirteenth street.

Her screams for help finally brought William Austin, Jr., living at 135 Thirteenth street to her rescue. At the sight of Austin the girl's assailant fled, without being able to secure any booty.

READ THE TRIBUNE SPORTING NEWS

IN THE CHURCHES

St. Paul's Universalist.
St. Paul's Universalist church, on Eighth and Cass streets. Rev. John Smith Lowe, pastor. Regular preaching services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school at noon. Subject of the morning sermon, "Does the Universalist Doctrine of Punishment Let Sinners Off With an Easy Sentence?"

First Methodist.
First Methodist Episcopal church, corner Eighth and King streets. — Preaching morning and evening by Rev. E. W. Blakeman of Madison. Class meeting at 9:30. Sunday school at noon. Epworth league at 6:30.

German Methodist.
German Methodist church, corner Seventh and Ferry streets. J. L. Panzlau, pastor. Sunday school at 9:15. Sermon at 10:30. Holy communion after the sermon. Love-feast at 6:45 in the evening. Preaching at 7:30. Rev. B. C. Brandenburg, district superintendent, will preach both in the morning and in the evening. Wednesday night prayer meeting.

Episcopal Church.
Christ church, Ninth and Main streets (Episcopal). Rev. C. N. Moller, rector; organist, Mr. Urquhart Cawley, B. A. Services for 14th Sunday after Trinity:
8:00—Holy Communion.
9:30—Sunday school.
10:45—Morning service; TeDeum, Calkin in G. Jubilate, Hadley in A. Anthem, "O How Amiable," Barnby.
7:45—Evening service; Magnificat, Joy in D. Anthem, "The Day is Past," Marks.

First Baptist Church.
First Baptist church, Sixth street between Main and King streets. — Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 11:45. Colton mission school at 3 p. m.; Young People's meeting at 6:30. Secretary R. E. Squires of Winona will deliver the sermon morning and evening.

First Congregational.
First Congregational church, Main and Seventh streets. Henry Faville, pastor. Worship at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Organ prelude. Preaching in the morning by the pastor; theme, "Sympathy." Vesper service in the church parlors at 7:30. This service aims to be a short, varied and worshipful service, in which all take some part with closing address by the pastor. Topic for this evening, "Where You Count." Sunday school at noon. The executive committee of the C. E. will meet in the church parlors at 7 p. m.

German Baptist.
German Baptist church, corner of Seventh and Winnebago streets. Rev. E. Bergen, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; Sunday morning service, 10:45 a. m. Evening service at Sunday school will be at 9:30 a. m. Wednesday evening prayer meeting. Saturday afternoon at 2:30 sewing school and drawing class.

Emanuel Evangelical Association.
Emanuel Church of the Evangelical association, 12th and Vine. H. Eitzmueller, pastor. Services at 10:30; Sunday school at 9:15 a. m.; Young People's meeting, 6:45 p. m. Missions program by the young people's society. Evening at 7:30.

Christian Science.
First Church of Christ, Scientist, King street, between Fifth and Sixth streets. Services at 10:30 a. m.; subject, "Matter." Wednesday testimonial meeting at 7:45 p. m. Reading room open daily except Sunday from 2 to 5 p. m. in the church.

Norwegian Lutheran.
Norwegian Lutheran church, corner of Sixth and Division streets. Rev. H. G. Magellson, pastor. Services Sunday, morning and evening, by the pastor.

Y. M. C. A.
Y. M. C. A., 425 King street, Oliver J. Ash, acting secretary. Regular men's meeting Sunday at 4 p. m. Rev. C. E. Henry, Tomah, will address meeting. Special music. All men cordially invited.

West Avenue M. E.
West Avenue M. E. church, West avenue, near Mississippi street. W. P. Cunningham, pastor. Morning Worship, 10:30 a. m.; Sunday school at 11:45 a. m.; Epworth league at 6:30 p. m.; evening worship at 7:30 p. m. prayer meeting at 7:30 p. m. Wednesday evening, Brotherhood of St. Paul meeting at 8 p. m. Thursday. All are cordially welcome.

English Lutheran.
English Lutheran church, West avenue and Ferry streets. Rev. J. J. Clemens, pastor. Sunday services, 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Sunday school 9:30 a. m.; Luther league 7:00 p. m. Luther league topic for the fourteenth Sunday after Trinity: "The New Life—Augsburg Confession, Art. VI." In the morning the pastor will take his sermon subject from the gospel and speak about "The Grateful Man." In the evening the subject of the sermon will be: "Ingratitude Inexcusable."

People's Sunday School.
People's Sunday school meets in Travelers' hall, Linker building, corner of Fourth and Main streets, Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. The usual program of health exercise will be carried out.

Y. W. C. A.
Y. W. C. A., 410 Cass street. Sunday afternoon, 4 o'clock.

First Presbyterian Church.
First Presbyterian church, corner Sixth and King streets. D. C. Jones, pastor. The pastor will occupy the pulpit for the first time and a special program has been prepared. Morning service at 10:30. Subject, "How may we believe or the Genesis of Faith." Evening sermon, 7:30. Subject, "The Beginning of Miracles." Sunday school, 12 m. classes for all ages; you are cordially invited. Grace Chapel school at 2:30 p. m. Sixteenth street, between Pine and Badger, Mrs. Edward Cronon,

superintendent. Junior Christian Endeavor at 3 p. m., in the church parlors, in charge of Miss Susie Campbell and other helpers from the Senior society. Young People's Society of C. E. at 6:30 p. m. Wednesday evening prayer meeting at 7:30. At the Y. W. C. A., corner of Cass and Fourth streets, a cordial invitation is given to all young women. The Ladies' society will meet at the home of Mrs. A. C. Millington, No. 523 South Sixteenth street, Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock. All ladies of the congregation requested to attend.

Spiritualist Church.
First Spiritualist church, Linker's hall, corner 4th and Main streets. — 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

City Mission.
City Mission—Sunday services, 110 North Third street, 3 p. m., Christian workers' meeting; 8 p. m., gospel service.

Westminster Presbyterian.
Westminster Presbyterian church, Redfield street, D. H. Rohrabach, pastor. Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 11:45 a. m.; C. E., at 7 p. m. Walter Harrington, superintendent. The second musical and literary program will be given in the chapel Tuesday evening.

SENATOR FORAKER READ OUT OF PARTY

CINCINNATI, O., Sept. 19.—Reputation of Senator Foraker by the Taft forces will come as a result of the admissions of Foraker to the charges of William R. Hearst at Columbus.

There remains only the fighting way out of a political position absolutely untenable to the candidate—and that he will take. Republican state leaders only a few days ago almost truckled to Foraker, seeking his support on the stump in Ohio for Taft and the republican state ticket. All of the overtures to Foraker, it is now claimed, were made against the judgment of Taft. Taft is struck a harder blow than is Foraker. He is going to strike back in self-defense.

Taft consented to accept into political fellowship Boss Cox of Cincinnati, who stands for everything Foraker stands for. Repudiation of Cox may now come with the scolding of Foraker. Taft means to put his political house in order and it is thought he will issue a statement on the Foraker exposure. The first blow at Foraker by the Taft Ohio forces may be elimination of Foraker from the program of the convention of the National League of Republican clubs. The program as it stands gives Foraker the position of presiding officer of the convention to introduce Taft and stand before the republicans of the country as the political comrade of the candidate.

WIFE BEATER IS NOW A MURDERER

BILLINGS, Mont., Sept. 19.—William McGann, a rancher living fifteen miles west of this city, shot and fatally wounded his wife and then committed suicide. McGann has had trouble with his wife for some time and a short time ago was found guilty on a charge of beating her and was given option of leaving the country or going to jail for four months. He chose the first mentioned alternative, but returned today and sought his wife at the ranch. After talking with her for a short time he drew a revolver and fired three shots through her head, fatally wounding her.

Neighbors hearing the shots surrounded the farm house cutting off the murderer's escape and he committed suicide. The difficulties of the couple are said to have been due to well founded jealousy on the part of the husband.

HOW TO AVOID APPENDICITIS
Most victims of appendicitis are those who are habitually constipated. Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup cures chronic constipation by stimulating the liver and bowels, and restores the natural action of the bowels. Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup does not nauseate or gripe and is mild and pleasant to take. Refuse substitutes. O. T. Erhart.

Those Well Meaning Friends.



The host who wakes you at 4 a. m. to brag about his confounded sunrise. —Browning's Magazine.



We are showing a most complete line of

Infant's wear

Dresses, coats, skirts, head-dress, etc., all priced so reasonably low

FALL OPENING

AT REITZEL'S
409-11-13 Main Street, La Crosse, Wis.

Monday and continuing all week

Tailor made suits New fall coats

GRANDLY ready with a wealth of all the newest creations in women's, misses' and children's ready-to-wear garments for fall. No woman will wisely choose a fall suit or coat without first seeing the collection assembled here, for it is the broadest showing in La Crosse and nowhere in the city are finer styles to be seen.

All the newest models in the latest materials and patterns are shown in charming variety. We call attention to our remarkable showing of misses' new fall dresses, something different than you will find elsewhere. Then there is our line of high-class skirts in select variety, tailored in the "Workshop of Worth," and in this immense gathering is every good new style; such excellent workmanship as appeals at once to the discriminating taste and such exceptional values as appeal to everybody.

Preliminary showing fall millinery



We invite you to inspect our fall street hats. This is not our formal opening, but merely a showing of street hats, nobby satin and silk hats, prettily trimmed with wings and fancy feathers, priced specially for this showing from \$3.50 to \$10.00. In an attractive range of colorings to match the suits that are on display.

Madam Conklin

Special fair week offers in gloves

Ladies' long Lisle Gloves in black, white and colors; formerly sold at \$1.00 while they last, at the pair 50¢
16 button all Silk Gloves in black and white of the famous "Kayser" make \$1.75 and \$2.00 values at the pair only \$1.25
A lot of odds and ends in all Silk Elbow length Gloves, in black and white; values formerly sold at \$1.50, the pair 98¢
The new fall gloves are daily arriving and already the stock is most complete. All the newest styles and colors for street and evening wear.



Corsets at half price

As a special offering for Fair and opening week we have gathered one lot of Corsets that regularly sell at \$1.00, included are the best known makes, full range of sizes, while they last, choice at 50¢

Ladies' hose supporters

A lot of all silk elastic Hose Supporters in all colors to choose from. Good values at 25c. Fair week price at 15¢

Miss A. Lennon's Department

MAY MANTON PATTERNS AND FALL CATALOGUE OF LATEST STYLES, TEN CENTS EACH

Extraordinary offer in pillow tops

For the opening we will have on sale one great lot of tinted Pillow Tops and Center Pieces, in a choice variety of patterns. Most exceptional values, your choice while they last at . . . 7¢

ART GOODS. The pretty new things in this department are daily arriving and we wish the ladies to call and see them.

Full line of the Celebrated "Lion" Brand Wool Yarns

ART GOODS DEPARTMENT : : : MRS. E. E. CHAPLIN

New fall fabrics

We are extremely proud of our dress goods and silk showing and you will agree with us that we have every reason to be so. The sales people, even, are enthusiastically eager to show them to you. All the popular weaves and colors in plain effects, stripes, and invisible plaid effects. A gathering we have never before been able to show the shoppers of La Crosse. Every yard of material is so reasonably priced.



Taffeta silk special

A splendid quality all silk Taffeta in all the staple and popular shades and colors. A quality regularly sold at 75c. Our price the yard only 65¢

We are showing a very choice line of Fancy Silks for dresses and waists, all the new patterns and colorings, special values at 68¢, 78¢, \$1.00 and \$1.25 the yard

Our line of the new novelties in worsted materials is of a remarkable broad choosing and values are exceptional

89¢, \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$2.00 the yard

The new dress fabric for Fall that is going to show great popularity is the material with self colored border in dress patterns. Something entirely new and priced at the yard \$2

White waistings

We have an excellent line of new white mercerized waistings for Tailored Waists so popular this season, the yard 50c, 35c and 25¢

CLOAKING—Astrachan and Bear skin cloakings in all leading colors. Very special values at \$2.75 and . . . \$2.25

New belts and belt pins

All the season's latest novelties in the line of Belts, in elastic, leather and tinsel, gold and beaded belts. A remarkable selection and priced at from \$2 down to only 10¢

We Have the New Directoire Belt.

It will be well worth your time to come in and see the charming display of all the very newest novelties and creations.

COMPLETE LIST OF BOYS AND GIRLS IN THE TRIBUNE'S SHETLAND PONY CONTEST

DISTRICT NO. 1

Glady's Ivey, 315 South 9th	95
Albert Arenz, 1410 South 7th St.	125
Harold Anderson, 417 Madison	225
Russell Anderson, 1315 Mississippi	425
Harry Aiken, 1225 South 5th	21
John Bayer, 119 South 10th	25
Earl Block, 1228 Market	25
Harold S. Bryant, 147 West avenue south	25
Ray Brink, 216 South 8th	25
James Burton, 224 North 7th	25
Rueben Benike, 711 South 5th	25
Julien Bloom, 310 South 9th	25
Joseph Baker, 333 South 20th	25
Jackson Branagan, 415 South 3rd	25
Frances Agnes Ballan, 332 North 10th	1,145
Willie Brownson, 205 Pearl	753
Louis Cunningham, 1119 South 14th	25
Charlie Carr, 209 South 9th	25
Roy Collins, 617 Vine	25
Ray Corlett, 1498 Madison	25
Ethel M. Cordell, 342 South 20th	1,085
Arthur Dornbach, 323 Cameron	25
Charles Dillon, 2202 Cass	25
Mary Drummond, 522 State	13,425
George Egelberg, 142 South 6th	25
Julius Euer, 933 Mississippi	25
Theodore Edwards, 1404 Cass	25
Leif Erickson, 320 South 5th	25
Arthur Evans, 121 South 13th	25
Earl W. Fritz, 121 North 7th	25
Walter Forscher, 822 South 6th	25
Frank Funke, 137 South 13th	25
Walter Gardner, 125 Vine	6,545
Mildred Gerrard, 1206 South 11th	25
Joseph Heinze, 1303 South 13th	25
Philly Hollenbeck, 1300 Denton	25
Harold Hanson, 1627 Jackson	25
John Hackett, 1905 South 16th	25
Lawrence Hagen, 1728 Madison	25
Gerald Hyde, 1204 Ferry	25
George Hunt, 416 Badger	1,235
Robert Hatka, 918 Cameron avenue	825
Orval N. Hall, 316 North 4th	1,135
Nicholas Hengel, 1602 Johnson	25
John Hanson, 25th and Main	525
Herbert Jueger, 918 South 10th	25
Maurice Johnson, 2406 South 13th	25
Harry Johnson, 1624 Mississippi	25
Raymond F. Johnston, 120 South 7th	1,105
Harold Jacob, 717 South 5th	25
Arthur Johnson, 510 South 3rd	25
Edna Josh, 1406 Pine	1,035
Wm. Jacobs, 815 South 5th	1,825
Theodore Johnson, 514 South 11th	25
John Jarvin, 313 King	25
Ralph Kindley, 705 South 8th	11,245
Irene Krenz, 1504 Winnebago	25
Walter Kuhn, 118 South 9th	575
Fred Klave, 1601 Madison	25
Wells O'Keefe, 1908 Division	1,875
Leonard F. Knothe, 409 South 3rd	25
Elmer Lange, 1911 South 2nd	25
Morris Lier, 1310 Market	25
Claude Ledman, 611 Main	25
Ester Linker, 1228 Ferry	1,875
Ira Lurmgston, 728 State	25
George Maertlin, 928 South 3rd	25
Viola Martin, 945 Green Bay	25
Fred M. Millington, 523 South 16th	25
Ben May, 410 Madison Place	25
Raymond Merman, 126 South 10th	25
William Miller, 6th and Vine	25
Walter Netval, 615 North 11th	25
Arthur Nass, 1619 Farnam	25
Archie Neelter, 1009 Jackson	25
William Niebuhr, 1433 Winnebago	25
Arthur Nelson, 2112 Cass	25
Howard Oakes, 1314 Jackson	25
Ben Ott, 1315 Main	17,025
John Pitz, 1222 Adams	25
Melvin Pierce, 1033 Rose	25
Chas. A. Parker, 1334 Pine	25
Elmer Peters, 1619 Adams	25
Adelbert Poetzel, 1108 South 5th	25
Claude Ruff, 906 Adams	25
Paul Reed, 235 South 6th	25
John Robinson, 812 La Crosse	25
Lester Smith, 421 North 8th	75
John Strass, 1610 Market	145
Harry Schlatter, 1014 South Frnt.	25
Reuben Selbo, 911 South 3rd	395
Nathan Johnson, 740 South 6th	25
Walter Schaldach, 1401 South 7th	25
Fred Schuman, 1714 Johnson	245
Robert Schultz, 913 South 2nd	25
Willie Strauss, 1610 Market	25
Morris Sigel, 1264 La Crosse	25
Carl Schubert, 1314 Pine	1,875
Helen Scoville, 809 Johnson	9,285
Henry Streicher, 321 Cameron	25
Ella Trane, 912 Cameron	25
Oscar Twedt, 1633 Winnebago	2,195
Josephine Upton, 1114 Vine	25
George Van Auker, 1147 Main	25
Donald Valle, 1525 Main	1,095
Alfred Worth, 509 South 16th	25
Eden Walters, 403 South 20th	25
Elden Weisbecker, 1534 Park	25
Frank Weigert, 1713 Pine	25
Walter Williams, 316 North 7th	25
Russell Webb, 1308 Redfield	25
Kenneth G. Whyte, 420 South 15th	25
Walter Young, 109 South 24th	25
Bernice Gayman, 1408 Vine	1,685
Anna Frey, 1619 South 6th	935
Mildred Berg, 209 North 14th	1,305
Herbert Hall, 415 South 5th	25
Lulu Lowry, 1330 Pine	835
Wilbur Albrechtson, 1421 Ferry	275
Marshall Cohen, 429 South 5th	25
Charlotte Sherwin, 211 South 5th	25

DISTRICT NO. 2

Blanche Asselin, 1521 Kane	135
Melvin Anderson, 1323 Kane	265
Leonard Adair, 1733 Charles	255
Freddie Baum, 1001 Rose	125
Mabel Briebach, 1114 Gillette	75
Veronica Bamberger, 503 Avon	55
Arthur Beadle, 1223 Caledonia	25
Donald Bliss, 1307 Caledonia	25
Verna Boyle, 1207 Caledonia	325
Cleo Bullock, 709 Avon	345
Mary Boyle, 2122 George	25
Katharine Byers, 1348 Kane	25
Louise Brown, 1701 Onalaska	25
Florence Baumgarten, 1415 Avon	25
Mabel Boiz, 1911 Wood	25
Virgie Beck, 1336 Charles	25
Susie Carleton, 611 Wall	25
Oiga Caspersen, 1419 Loomis	225
Allice Combellick, 1608 Loomis	25
Harry Cunneen, 806 Caledonia	25
Ambrose Coughlin, 1539 Wood	25
Louis Cook, 1300 Avon	25
Ruth Corrigan, 1616 Loomis	735
Margaret Coughlin, 1430 Wood	25
Dolly Coster, 732 Rose	535
Edwin Downs, 226 Mill	25
John Downs, 226 Mill	25
James Dinneen, 819 Berlin	635
John Dore, 1013 Berlin	25
Margaret Dowling, 1234 Kane	25
Frances Desmond, 1303 Kane	575
Gertrude DeSautelle, 1443 Caledonia	25
Edith Eberhardt, 1127 Caledonia	25

Oscar Erickson, 1430 Avon	25
Rena Erickson, 1727 George	25
Ruth Erickson, 1432 Kane	25
Dorothy Figgie, 1027 Rose	25
Edward Friggen, 1307 Kane	1,045
George Fransen, 514 Berlin	25
Myrtle Fitzsimmons, 1233 Avon	25
Aleene Foster, 1603 Charles	25
Ed. Fitzpatrick, 1606 Berlin	25
Clement Felze, 1426 George	25
Clarabell Farnam, 603 Rose	385
Tommie Gibson, 609 Avon	655
Bernidette Gittens, 705 Rose	25
Wesley Gifford, 822 Rose	4,885
Helen McGaughrer, 1419 Kane	25
Raymond Gilbertson, 1826 Berlin	25
Anna Groeschner, 1307 Kane	25
Floyd Graw, 1417 Caledonia	25
Bernice Murphy, 319 Caledonia	715
Norman Hall, 1307 Caledonia	25
May Hirschfeld, 829 Mill	25
Barbara Huss, 1906 Wood	25
Lilad Hoff, 829 Rose	25
Floyd Hanson, 1514 Caledonia	105
Helen Hart, 1403 Avon	25
Edith Hyde, 1027 Caledonia	25
Helen Hurley, 1208 Caledonia	85
Robert Heally, 1541 George	25
Earl Jones, 818 Gould	45
Alvin Johnson, 213 Mill	25
Ralph Johnson, 912 Rose	25
Russell James, 1106 Berlin	25
Effie Jensen, 2142 Kane	365
Edna James, 1217 Charles	25
Clark Johnson, 1645 Charles	25
Mabel Knudson, 1450 Caledonia	25
Vera Keler, 1513 George	25
Esther Knessel, 1208 Rose	25
Anah Larkin, 518 Berlin	25
Ellsey Lampman, 1017 Rose	25
Irma Linn, 1501 Kane	25
Dolly Larson, 1229 Avon	25
Homer Lorenz, 1833 Charles	25
Elida Lee, 1412 Berlin	25
Gunda Liveraue, 1442 Berlin	25
Raymond Merrill, 1008 Rose	25
Howard Morris, 1443 Berlin	25
Lucinda Mourning, 1426 George	25
Edwin Markwart, 911 Rose	1,475
Pearl Mosholder, 609 St. Paul	25
Alice Mowrey, 722 Caledonia	435
James Mullen, 722 Caledonia	25
Dolly Miller, 1016 Caledonia	25
Daniel McLeod, 1321 Charles	25
Agnes McLindon, 734 Rose	25
Arthur McGuire, 809 Avon	315
Maude Mareo, 1006 Berlin	25
Maybelle McGrath, 1815 Wood	25
Marguerite McCarthy, 1413 Caledonia	25
Clarence Miller, 1449 Avon	25
Birdilla Morrison, 933 Caledonia	25
Della Nesler, 1534 Berlin	425
Judith Nelson, 1134 Caledonia	25
Russel Oliver, 427 Caledonia	25
John O'Neil, 431 Mill	25
Hazel Orwell, 1314 Caledonia	25
Harry O'Brien, 1643 Kane	25
Anna Osweller, 1514 Avon	475
Roy Peterson, 1033 Rose	25
Irene Pierce, 1033 Rose	25
Francis Pierce, 1033 Rose	25
Guy Parker, 1426 Berlin	25
Mabel Pilger, 1823 Wood	25
Edna Preutz, 1117 Logan	25
Sam Roden, 823 Avon	655
Hazel Ryan, 1513 Wood	25
Pauline Roberge, 1641 Kane	25
Margaret Roth, 1123 Charles	25
Helen Simonson, 1724 Loomis	25
Anna Schneider, 1024 Avon	25
Norman Schultz, 1202 Charles	585
Harriett Snyder, 1508 Wood	25
Glady's Sheely, 1710 Loomis	35
Glady's Schaller, 1637 Wood	45
Edward Singer, 1519 Caledonia	25
Buster Sables, 927 Rose	65
Laura Scheel, 1717 Charles	25
George Snell, 1802 Charles	25
Charley Thomas, 920 Rose	35
Charlotte Van Wormer, 1020 Avon	35
Eunice Van Burg, 1112 Avon	25
Earl Winell, 826 Caledonia	25
Olga Woll, 1432 Charles	25
John Whiting, 923 Caledonia	85
May Welch, 1648 Caledonia	25
Dorothy Welch, 413 Caledonia	95
Agnes Ydse, 1602 Wood	25
Dorothy Young, 220 Mill	25
Richard Zinner, 513 Avon	25
Mabel M. Stanton, 219 Island	1,185
Fern M. Nichols, 1815 Prospect	375

DISTRICT NO. 3

Carl Councilman, Melvina, Wis.	25
Elmer Rohur, Cochrane, Wis.	725
Howard Campbell, Cashton, Wis.	1,045
Allan Reed, Sparta, Wis.	25
Ester Ellis, Onalaska, Wis.	25
Lafe Evans, Westby, Wis.	3,615
Stanley Engel, Pepin, Wis.	25
Truman Guenther, Alma, Wis.	75
Grace Garin, Viroqua, Wis.	25
Raymond Graw, Cashton, Wis.	1,365
Johnnie Green, Bangor, Wis.	25
Olis Holman, Westby, Wis.	1,075
Earl Harry, Alma, Wis.	425
Neva Houston, Pepin, Wis.	25
George King, Bangor, Wis.	325
Pearl Larson, West Salem, Wis.	25
Floyd Larson, West Salem, Wis.	1,245
Daniel McGaughrer, Prairie du Chien, Wis.	945
Walter Morrison, Cashton, Wis.	25
Leo Merle, W. Bangor, Wis.	25
Ernest Petersen, Melvina, Wis.	475
Merill Serene, Pepin, Wis.	25
Edna Shove, Onalaska, Wis.	25
Blair Sherrick, Cashton, Wis.	25
Orlick Stevingson, Westby, Wis.	265
Eddie Sprain, West Salem, Wis.	25
Donald Taylor, West Salem, Wis.	1,415
Wm. Stephens, R. F. D. No. 1, La Crosse	25
Edward Canfield, Sparta, Wis.	25
Neal Pilcher, Sparta, Wis.	25
Dorothy Kyhl, Sparta, Wis.	25
Dorothy Richard, Sparta, Wis.	25
Rachel Ford, Sparta, Wis.	25
Hugh Fanning, Sparta, Wis.	25
Ella Schroeder, R. F. D. No. 2	25
Homer Wolf, R. F. D. No. 2	25
Cleveland Jollivette, R. F. D. No. 3	25
Laura Arber, R. F. D. No. 3	25
Elsie Pertsch, R. F. D. No. 3	25
Josie Feffa, Fountain City, Wis.	25
Gayle Corey, Galesville, Wis.	25

DISTRICT NO. 4

Eunice Brown, Dakota, Minn.	765
Neva Bakewell, Lansing, Iowa	25
Martha Boeckh, Lansing, Iowa	25
Forrest Beck, New Albion, Iowa	85
Walter Bisbee, New Albion, Iowa	25
Ava Berfield, La Crescent, Minn.	25
Harold Clark, Waukon, Iowa	535
Bertha Dun, McGregor, Iowa	25
Joseph Dunlevy, Lansing, Iowa	25
Ruth Eaton, Waukon, Iowa	25
Lillian Gable, New Albion, Iowa	25
Eva Hansen, Alden, Minn.	835
Eunice Hartley, Waukon, Iowa	25
Lincoln Holcomb, Dresbach, Minn.	8,325

Arnold Kagle, Lansing, Iowa	25
Catharine Kremer, McGregor, Iowa	25
Pearl LaTraunch, New Albion, Iowa	25
Lilah May, New Albion, Iowa	25
Ruby Nichols, Dresbach, Minn.	3,335
Margaret Oldenberg, La Crescent, Minn.	1,005
Lillian Richmond, Dakota, Minn.	1,665
Lyle Secord, Brownsville, Minn.	855
Reuben Thompson, Lansing, Iowa	25
Mable Tease, Waukon, Iowa	25
Clifton M. White, Mabel, Minn.	1,045
Fred Widman, McGregor, Iowa	25
May Williams, McGregor, Iowa	25
Harold Hickson, Dresbach, Minn.	1,635
George Layne, Rushford, Minn.	25
Mildred Schultz, Hokah, Minn.	25
Francis Bidwell, Houston, Minn.	25
Fred Sackett, Lanesboro, Minn.	25

THE PONY CONTEST OF THE TRIBUNE ON

GREAT OPPORTUNITY FOR BOYS AND GIRLS OPEN

ABOUT 400 ARE NOMINATED

THEY GO AT IT WITH A VIM TO WIN OUT

SOME DREAMS AND THINGS

Fanny Fan Tells of Dreams of Boys and How to Make This Contest Worth While

(By Fanny Fan.)

"A horse! A horse! My kingdom for a horse!"

Richard III said that, when he wanted a horse. It's a good story—better look it up. But YOU don't have to give a kingdom for a horse. All YOU have to do is to win one of The Tribune's prizes, if you are not over 16 or under 1.

About 400 young people have signified their intention of trying to get one of these ponies. Have you seen them? There never was a cleverer little outfit. All day yesterday boys and girls were riding in the little rig, climbing in and out, and under the pony. The pony don't care; he's as gentle as a lamb, only he isn't timid or afraid of you in the least. He seems to think every boy and girl in La Crosse is his personal friend, and he likes to have them flock around him.

The funniest thing of all yesterday was when little F. Henry Burgess, The Tribune manager, was riding around town with the "kids." He looked just like one of them, he's so small. Really, he isn't as big as lots of boys and girls of 16, and if you get acquainted with him you'll find him one of the jolliest kids in the bunch.

Well, I was thinking today of all the dreams all those four hundred boys and girls must have been having nights this week about the ponies. Suppose every boy and every girl had a dream every night what a lot of things they must have gone through in their sleep. I imagined that one boy might have dreamed, rambling along the way you do in dreams, you know, a lot of stuff like this:

Did You Dream This?

"I won one of The Tribune ponies, and when I was driving up the street I met that little boy the rhyme book tells about, that used to say, 'I had a little pony, his name was Dapple Gray.'

His head was made of pea straw, his tail was made of hay!

"Well, I was so sorry for that little boy that I gave him a ride in my buggy, behind The Tribune pony. We drove a long way, and finally we met a fellow who looked familiar—seemed to me I'd seen his picture in a story book somewhere—and he was singing:

"Ride a black horse to Bambyr Cross,

To see what Johnnie can buy; A penny white loaf and a penny white cake.

And a two-penny apple pie."

"So we thought we'd go to Bambyr Cross with him, to get some of the pie. But as we rode along we saw a steep hill, covered with rocks that looked like great stone steps, and down this a red-faced man with a cocked hat was dashing on a great horse.

"That's history," said I. "That's General Putnam." I was so busy looking at him that I didn't notice we were riding right into a river. While we were swimming Johnnie said he would trade horses, but I said President Lincoln said people didn't swap horses while they were crossing a river. I was glad of this excuse, for I didn't want to trade, but just then the pony rose right up out of the water and flew away with us. It was a long, long way, and we crossed miles of water with big waves washing upon shores and reefs, and ships sailing or steaming on its surface, but finally he landed on a rocky island.

Away Up There

"This is my home," said the pony actually talking. "These are the Shetland Islands—his very words. I had heard of 'horse sense' but I was surprised to hear that pony talking. I tell you.

"You see," said the pony, "this island is so rocky and the grass is so short, that we Shetland ponies never grow very large. I brought you here

so you would be sorry that I'm so little. Now, if you will remember what a hard time I've had, and will promise not to overload me, and to be always a kind pal to me, I'll take you back home. But if you won't—and the pony looked stern—"you'll have to stay here always and live among the rocks and the short grass."

"You can just bet I promised, mighty quick! Then the pony laughed, and his eyes looked kind and friendly, and in a minute he was flying back to a Crosse with me. It was a long way back, and as we flew the pony sang, and I caught the air and hummed with him, just like we boys sing together sometimes. The song went like this:

"I'll be your Shetland pony If you'll be my little pard, If you'll give me feed and water And won't drive me very hard; I'll be a little pal of yours, And you a pal of mine, And we'll grow up together Singing Auld Lang Syne.

"I'll be your Shetland pony If you'll pony up the oats, And a lump of sugar, maybe, And—

"My! O my! Just then something seemed to give way, and we fell. Down, down! down! And then, smash!

"But it wasn't so bad, for I'd just fallen out of bed!"

Whittington Won

Now if you had a dream like that, it was just a way of telling you that you must be good to the pony you are going to win—you ARE going to win one, if you try. There's everything in trying. "Faint heart never won fair lady" is a proverb that means it takes nerve and gumption to succeed, no matter what you are trying to do. Once there was a boy named Whittington. He was a poor boy, and lived in London. He had to earn his living there, and it was very hard work, so he gave it up, and trying his few clothes in a handkerchief, he started to walk out of London, that heartless, foggy city, the greatest in the world. But when

young Whittington got in the outskirts of London the evening bells began to ring, and they seemed to be saying to him:

"Turn again, Whittington, Lord mayor of London."

So the boy turned back, and went to work again, and worked hard. He did his best, and never gave up, and success came to him. And sure enough he became a great and rich man, and the queen knighted him, and he was chosen Lord Mayor of London,

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PERSONALS

FORD—The Car of Quality.
Elliott Hanson of La Crosse has been elected treasurer of the Norwegian-Danish M. E. conference at St. Paul.

Andrew Lees returned this morning from Alma, where he has been attending his father, Judge Robert Lees, who is still seriously ill.

Yeomen dance Coren's hall Wed. & Thurs. Sept. 23d and 24th.
Will Cargill is expected home from Montana today. W. W. Withee will not return for some time.

Mrs. Ellen Cain, 1327 Adams street, has gone for a trip through the west.

Mrs. Z. Baebler has returned to her home in Bangor after visiting friends in the city.

Hack calls promptly attended to. Phone 179 Gateway City Trfr Line.

Mrs. Jacob Myer is spending the week with relatives and friends at Bangor.

Frank Gutzel of Galesville was a business visitor in La Crosse during the fore part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tobias Olson and son of Galesville were the guests of La Crosse friends yesterday.

Dr. George Powell, consulting physician and surgeon.

Little Marx, Ben Davis' pacer, of Galesville is entered at the New London fair this week and will be seen at the La Crosse Interstate fair next week. The horse is a speedy little pacer and expects to carry off some money at the Interstate fair.

Dr. Will Powell, diseases of women.

Theodore Faville, lately returned from Europe, is visiting with relatives and friends at Sparta.

John J. Sullivan of Sparta spent Monday in La Crosse on business and also visited a number of friends here.

Mrs. Lu Youngman of Sparta came to the city Monday for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Dean Holloway. Frank Newton of Sparta was in the city on business Tuesday.

There are no excursion rates on the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul road next week from Sparta and other points along the line on account of the fair.

Jessie Youngman of Sparta came to La Crosse Tuesday to spend a few days with relatives and friends.

Lola Taylor and Grace Van Voras spent Tuesday visiting with friends in Sparta.

Kelly Jefferson of Sparta was in La Crosse on business Tuesday.

Mrs. T. C. Longwell and Alfred Swarthout of Sparta spent the day at La Crosse Wednesday.

Jessie Johnson of West Salem was in the city Wednesday.

Mrs. Arthur Runge of West Salem was in the city on a visit Wednesday.

Alfred Hanson of West Salem was in the city on business last Wednesday.

H. G. Simpkins spent a few days at West Salem this week.

Verner Wilcox and Tony Upton were La Crosse visitors Wednesday, returning to West Salem in the evening.

John Koenig of Caledonia was a visitor in the city Tuesday.

Miss Bridget Ryan spent a few days with relatives and friends at Caledonia this week.

Miss Mayme Roach left for Caledonia Saturday for a visit with her friend, Miss Mary Dunn.

Joe Lisbakken of Coon Valley spent Sunday in the city visiting friends.

Mr. Getts and son were Coon Valley callers Sunday.

SENATOR GORE ADDRESSES LARGE AUDIENCE HERE

(Continued from page 1.)

Republican convention in Chicago—how when he presented certain planks to be inserted in the platform he was "hooted" by the delegates, and cat calls advised him to "take his dope to Denver." The democrats, he said, had taken up some of these planks and they were today the most important in the entire platform.

On whether or not the people were getting representation he called attention to the way that Speaker Cannon sat on the lid in the lower house and drove away all intruders. "To defeat him," he said, "elect Bernard F. Keeler from this district and send him down there in an effort to help blow off the Cannon. No La Follette man would vote for Cannon," he continued, "because he is in the path of progress and ought to be defeated."

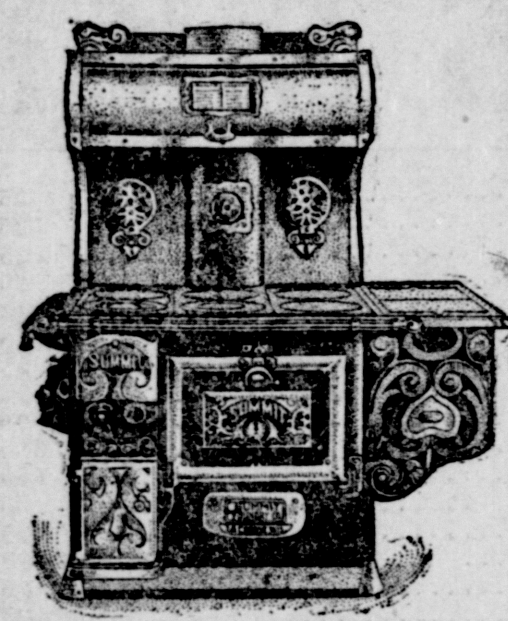
The Trusts.

He then took up the subject of trusts and summed up the whole matter, as far as parties were concerned by saying that the democrats believed in the United States of America while the belief of the republicans was placed in the United Trusts of America. The sentiment of the senator was that no man should "get without earning" and that no man should "earn without getting," and he said that where some one got "without earning" some one "earned without getting."

As the democratic party stands, he said, it opposes centralization of

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CITY NEWS

PLAN ORGANIZATION.—At a meeting held in the office of Harry Taggart Thursday, preliminary steps were taken by local hotel owners towards organization. The plans have not been announced.

FRANK SHUMAN GETS BERTH.—Mr. Frank Shuman has received word of his appointment as district superintendent of a new independent telephone system that has been established in Bismarck, N. D. He has left for Bismarck to take up his new duties.

RITTER IS CHOSEN.—Theodore Ritter of the north side at a meeting of the executive committee of the democratic party, was elected secretary. Joseph C. Houska was elected treasurer and headquarters will be established shortly.

Waukon Defeated by Lansing Team

Waukon, Ia., Sept. 19.—In a fast 12 inning game here the Lansing, Ia., team yesterday defeated the Waukon team by a score of 3 to 2. Both teams played good ball, the score having been tied by Lansing in the seventh inning.

The following is the official score:
Lansing 000100100001—3
Waukon 010001000000—2
Batteries: Waukon, Scovel and Hundt; Lansing, Baillies and Harms. Scovel struck out 9 and allowed 12 hits; Baillies struck out 13 and allowed 6 hits. Errors—Waukon, 1; Lansing, 4.

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Our Dress Goods section contains some "beauties," all in the new chevron, zig-zag, herring-bone and shadow stripes, 44 to 54 inches wide, at per yard \$1.25 and 98c
New fall Black Goods, all wool, plain, also with silk stripe effect, best jet black, from per yard 50c to \$1.50
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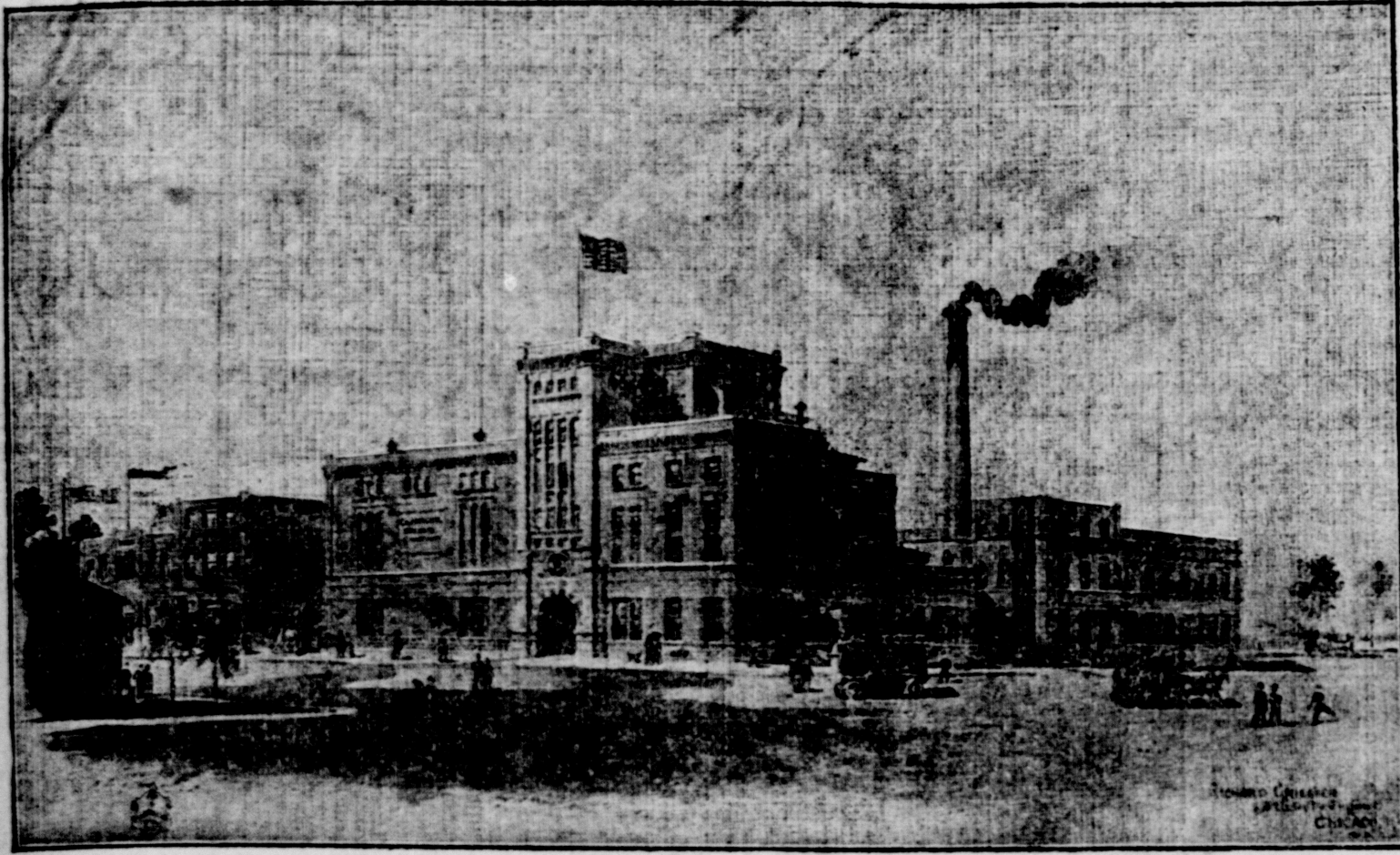
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What if things have gone amiss,
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Shunning sorrow, courting bliss,
Turn to Elfenbrau.
Live with laughter, let a kiss
Charm your senses now;
Let your logic run like this:
Love me, Pleasure, pretty frau,
And my "prosit" to you is
"Maedchen, I'll allow
That you are a jolly miss,
So I drink your health in this
Nectar, ELFENBRAU."

People are interested in Elfenbrau. It is making a hit, and the handwagon-habit of the American makes every good hit a long hit. There is something attractive about the new beer—a dainty appropriateness to its label which leaves as good a taste in the mind as the fine brew it announces leaves in the mouth.

Elfenbrau was first brewed May 8th last, and its appearance on the market caused a pleasant sensation. People liked it. They liked its style, its flavor, its dress. They had been watching the great new brewery building, for its home, and interest in the splendid enterprise of the two young men who were carrying that colossal undertaking on their shoulders ripened as the extensive plant took form and gradually moved on to completion, forming the visible evidence of one of this city's most important industries.

The Great New Brewery.
Recently a Tribune reporter made a tour of the new institution as the guest of Carl Michel, and it was indeed an entertaining trip. Big as the thing seems from the street, its magnitude does not dawn fully upon one until one has gone through it all, climbing from story to story to the full ninety feet of its height at which altitude the city can be seen stretched out in a wide and beautiful panorama; going from department to department until one seems to have traversed a city; traveling from the torrid zone of the brew house to the frigid regions of the cold storage.

Perhaps in one comprehensive paragraph a general picture of the institution may be given: The front of the brewery proper is 165 feet, with a depth of Third street of 170 feet. Back of this the bottling department stretches over an area 56 by 170 feet. A traffic way in which are laid the private tracks of the company cuts the frontage midway, occupying the space in altitude of two stories. To the right are the various departments of the beer making department, to the left the ample storage apartments.

A Great System.
As we entered the traffic way the economic arrangements for handling supplies and product were unfolded. It is largely automatic, and the most modern, scientific equipment is so arranged as to deliver supplies on the one side, and load shipments on the other, in car loads with a single handling facilitated, often almost completely performed by mechanical devices.

To the right, entering the building from a funnel shaped receptacle on the outside, is the beginning of the progress of the materials which make beer, and we followed this lead in a great circuit that traced every step in the process from the unloading of malt from the cars to the dropping of filled barrels of beer into cars for shipment. It is one great circuit, comprehending the whole story of scientific brewing.

The little funnel is a malt conveyor. It takes the malt in a great pipe into three immense bins, each with a capacity of 5,000 bushels, automatically weighing the malt while depositing it. This weighing process is a check on stock, as it enables the brewer to know just what he has in his bins, although the great steel receptacles are enclosed. That is half the check, for as the malt is automatically taken on in a continuation the conveyor for use in brewing, what is taken out is also weighed automatically, so the brewer knows from the weigh bills just what is left in the bins at all times. The weighing of malt as it is taken from the bins serves also as an index to the amount used in each brew, so the management always knows just "where it is at."

When taken from the bins in the



This is the New Beer that is Making a Popular Hit in La Crosse.

conveyor that leads to the brewing equipment the malt is run through an automatic elevator which lifts it of every article of impurity, after which the malt is conveyed to the mill, where the first process is accomplished in the crushing of the malt. This is done on the fifth floor, over 80 feet from the ground, and in order to follow the circuit of the process we repaired to that place from an inspection of the bins.

An Economical Device.
At this point, to digress for a moment, there was noted the interesting feature of the collection of the overflow water used for various purposes in the factory, to be used again for washing purposes—a nice piece of economy accomplished by modern machinery.

The cleaning mentioned above is done on the fifth floor, the crushing in the mill on the fourth. Next, on the third floor, where are situated the hot water boilers and kindred machinery, is the great malt hopper from which the malt, now ready for further treatment, is let down to the malt tub on the second floor. In this tub, by means of draining into a false copper bottom, the fluid extract of the malt is separated from the grains, and is piped into the great boiler, like a mighty copper kettle, where it is cooked.

The malt from which the fluid has been taken in done with here, and is piped to a portion of the brewery convenient for loading by patrons, or shipping.

Rice Vitality Extracted.
On the floor which contains the malt tub, its bases some seven feet lower than the base of the latter, is the rice hopper, in which is mixed and treated the rice used in brewing. A separation by means of draining into a false copper bottom derives the extract from this grain also, and the product is forced up into the malt tub, thence to the copper boiler. The weighing automaton is used on the rice, the same as on the malt, to keep a check on the quantity. The grits are also added in the rice cook-

er, and the product resulting is a distinct and separate mash from the malt mash made in the adjoining tubs, the extracts of the two only being mixed.

In the great copper kettle, the capacity of which is 355 barrels, the extracts of the malt and rice are ready for the reception of the hops, which are then added. Following this the body of the hops is removed by a draining process, and the extract is ready for use.

The Ammonia Cooler.
From the great copper kettle the liquid is forced through what is called an enclosed cooler. The system is this: The liquid is passed through a copper pipe within a steel pipe, the chamber between the pipes being filled with flowing water. Thus there is no contact of any sort with the beer until it has reached a storage temperature. After this water cooling process is done, the liquid is forced up through pipes into the ammonia cooler. This ammonia cooler is worked through the refrigerating machines described elsewhere. It is a method by which the ammonia circulates through a circuitous system of pipes, absorbing the heat where it is not wanted, and discharging it elsewhere, the elimination of the heat perfecting the refrigeration, as cold is merely the absence of heat.

At this point one finds it convenient to digress long enough to look over the mechanical and storage departments, before following the beer to the bottling department. Over the traffic area way described at the outset is the hop storage, slightly cooled by refrigeration to keep the hops sweet and pure. Its capacity is about 15 carloads.

The west portion of the ground floor of the brew house, extending over a large area, is the power house. Here are the great boilers, the mighty generators furnishing electric current for light and for power to operate the entire plant. Here also are two immense refrigerating machines with each a capacity of 85 tons. The handsome switchboard panels may be seen here, directing and controlling the power that is generated, as well as the air compressor, electric pumps, etc.

Above this is the rice storage department, and on the floor still higher is an interesting place—a mechanical condenser to cool down the ammonia that has been used in refrigerating, after it has absorbed the heat in the storage departments.

The Boiler Equipment.
In the basement is the location of the great boilers—two 300 H. P. Sterling water-tube boilers—and the water heater, an economical equipment for using the exhaust to raise the temperature of water, so it enters the boilers with their work partly done. It is of 800 H. P. capacity, and a great money saver.

South of the great area way used for traction purposes, one enters the storage portion of the plant. First is the wash house, where the barrels are cleaned. Its space is very ample. A feature of interest here is the keg elevator, which brings them from the basement where repairing and general preparation for use is done, to a mechanical contrivance of great utility. Just east of this is the beer storage room. The third or top floor is the cellar, the second floor is the stock cellar (with the exception of the racking room where the beer is racked off from the large vats into kegs). In this storage department is one of the most wonderful sights in the brewery, giving a definite idea of the plant's capacity. It is a series of 34 immense steel glass enameled tanks, the capacity of which runs as high as 400 barrels each.

The Bottling Department.
Perhaps from the standpoint of the manifold mechanical performances the bottling department is the most interesting of all the departments of the brewery, the machinery here seeming actually to have human intelligence. As in the brewery, the operation is in a great, never-ending circuit. At the east end of the rectangular building the cases of bottles are shot up from the basement—where they have been prepared for use—and the bottles are withdrawn. Then the empty cases are conveyed by machinery through the basement to the other (west) end of the building, where they are again brought to the ground floor to await the coming of the filled bottles, ready for packing preparatory to marketing them.

The bottles taken from the cases

at the east end then begin their route. They are first run through the soaking machine, which cleanses them, proceeding hence to the filling machine where automatic revolving tubes do business with the precision of men. Next they advance to the capping machine, where they are capped and sealed. After that comes the pasteurizing machine. The bottles go into water, regulated by a thermostat, that warms them to such a degree that they may safely undergo the intense heat of pasteurization, following which they pass through moderately hot water before their final removal. Then back they go into the cases, which were cleaned in the basement during their trip back from the east to the west end of the building.

Easy For Uncle Sam.
No monkeying any more with a pesky little revenue stamp on every keg! Uncle Sam takes the beer in the tanks, now. This was a surprising bit of information, the publication of which will enlighten lots of people. It is done in this way: The beer is piped to the place from which it is to be taken for barreling or bottling, where there is a series of vats locked at the pipe entrance at both filling and emptying end. The revenue officer has the key to the filling end. The vat is filled, and its contents taxed and the company given credit. Then the brewer may empty the vat as he pleases, but he can get no new beer into the vat because the revenue officer has the only key. How'd you like to have the only key to all that beer?

PANZLAU TO REMAIN; BIG FUNCTIONS NEAR

Rev. B. C. Brandenburg, district superintendent of the Galena district and Rev. J. L. Panzlau, Rev. P. Schleim, will leave on Monday for Parker, S. D., where the annual Northwest German conference will be held. One of the most important matters that will come before the conference will be the union of the Northwest German and the Northern-German conferences, and the merger of the Charles City college and of St. Paul Park college.

On October 4 the new pipe organ will be dedicated by the newly elected bishop, John L. Nuelson. The bishop will preach both in the morning and in the evening. The evening service will be in English. Rev. Vance will preside and the bishop will speak. As the organ has been paid for in full no extra collection will be taken.

Upon the earnest and unanimous plea of the trustees Rev. Panzlau will continue to discharge the duties of pastor for his present congregation.

TAFT TO DEFEND HIS INJUNCTIONS

CHICAGO, Sept. 19.—William H. Taft in his campaign for the presidency is going to tell the workingmen of the country why he granted injunctions against organized labor while on the federal bench and how he stands today on other labor questions. He has chosen Chicago as the place for making these utterances.

He will reply to the democratic misrepresentations of his attitude toward labor at a meeting of the Railway Men's Independent Club in Orchestra hall next Wednesday evening. Samuel M. Fitch, an Illinois Central conductor, who is president of the organization, received from Mr. Taft an acceptance of the invitation to address the club some time during the campaign. The republican managers then arranged that the meeting should be held on the eve of Mr. Taft's departure on his western speaking tour.

NEGROES WANT PULLMAN CARS

ATLANTA, Ga., Sept. 18.—Four bishops of the African Methodist church appeared before J. Edgar Smith, special agent of the interstate commerce commission, today in support of claims of discrimination against negroes on southern roads. The burden of the protest was that the Pullman company would not admit negroes into its cars and that the railroads force negroes into separate compartments where some smoke, drink and curse.

The railroads denied practically all the charges and alleged that each southern state required separate cars for the races.

F. R. A. DANCE.

The first of a series of entertainments and dances was held by the F. R. A. at their hall last night. In spite of the warm weather about 30 couples were present. The committee on decorations had trimmed the hall with hundreds of artificial flowers, strung across the center and around the sides of the room, on ribbons, giving it a most artistic and pleasing effect. All present enjoyed a pleasant time.



Igorrote Village.

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MAUDE ALLEN IN CHARACTERISTIC POSE



NEW YORK CITY, Sept. 14.—Maude Allen has made herself famous through her revival of the Grecian dances. Dances from time immemorial have had a decided influence on the stage and the Grecian dances of Maude Allen are no exception.

Clad in the loose fitting Grecian costume, barefooted and with her hair dressed in Grecian style, Miss Allen has created a sensation which has spread over the entire country. Many people seeking notoriety have gone so far as to appear on the street barefooted. It is reported that at a dinner recently given to a few of the "four hundred" and designed as a Grecian dinner, in honor of Maude Allen, the guests appeared in the Grecian costume. The dance as presented was artistic and graceful.

HELEN MALONEY'S SECRET GETS OUT

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—Fear that she might be compelled by her parents to marry a titled foreigner whom she disliked, was the reason which Helen Maloney, daughter of Martin Maloney of Philadelphia, declared impelled her to go through a marriage ceremony with Arthur Herbert Osborne, a young broker of this city.

This information, given by Miss Maloney under oath when she was being examined by a referee in connection with her application to have the purported marriage annulled, was gleaned from the papers in the case which were filed in court after a formal decree finally annulling the marriage was granted by Justice Gerard in the supreme court.

Miss Maloney swore the marriage never was regarded in a serious light either by herself or by Osborne; that she did not believe the contract a binding one, inasmuch as the contracting parties did not give their right names, ages, or names of their parents to the justice of the peace who performed the ceremony, and that the marriage never had been consummated.

Osborne, in his answer, opposing the application for annulment, also declared that no consummation of the marriage ever had taken place and that neither of the contracting parties ever intended that it should take place until after a marriage ceremony had been performed in a Roman Catholic church, by a priest of that church.

The papers include not only the text of the application filed by Miss Maloney, but a transcript of the testimony given before Daniel Cohalan, who was appointed referee by the supreme court justice who first heard the application. It was upon Mr. Cohalan's recommendation that the final decree of annulment was granted.

The New Pure Food and Drug Law

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IGORROTES WILL BE BIG FEATURE

VILLAGE OF THEM AT THE FAIR NEXT WEEK

SHOW HABITS OF ODD PEOPLE

Little is Known of the Race Which for Years Fought Spanish Soldiers, but They are Coming Here

Perhaps the most interesting of the shows that have been booked for the interstate fair this year will be the Igorrote village. This is not the "fake" show that usually adorns the "pike" but it is interesting in the extreme, inasmuch as it is instructive of the life and habits of a race of people of whom the average American knows but little.

Their trial marriages, their dog eating "fests" and in fact all of their peculiarities will be shown and explained.

The study of a primitive people is always of absorbing interest to those more advanced in the scale of human civilization. The presence at the Interstate fair of a large colony of the primitive head hunting, dog eating Bontoc Igorrotes from the remote mountain fastnesses of the Iloilo and Luzon in the Philippine Archipelago will give to visitors an opportunity of observing at close range under native conditions the most interesting wild people inhabiting the Philippine islands. A wild uncultured people who are struggling to break through the environment and emerge from the superstitions which enslave them, to solve the play of the mysterious forces of nature and to rise to the heights of truth, of freedom, and of liberty.

The Village at the Fair

A typical village will be built the grounds of the Interstate fair by a group of these strange people, consisting of a rich man's house, with its high hipped, grass thatched roof and wide projecting eaves where lives O-lo-son, who, for purposes of discipline, is the chief, together with the flower of the fighting men of the warlike towns of Bontoc, Samoki, Alab and Tukukan, (everyone of whom like Kipling's Fuzzy Wuzzy is a "fust class fightin' man.") who wears proudly the breast tattoo which shows that he has brought to his home Ato the head of at least one enemy. There are other warriors in the village with gory records, whose bravery have been tested on many a field but who failed to bring to their homes the heads of the enemies they had slain. Such a one is old Oo-Sing, the village weapon maker, whose matchless skill in spear throwing is the feature of those contests. It is claimed that the wily old warrior never fails to hit the target with his spear unless he desires to encourage some visitor to bet him a nickel that he can't hit it.

Over in the corner of the village in a small hut live Lai-dis, the youngest of the head takers, and his wife-to-be, Diapan, an Igorrote beauty with much charm of manner and a fascinating smile, who have successfully undergone a trial marriage and to whose humble abode a long legged bird is winging its flight carrying the precious burden which forever fixes the status of the young woman in her home community.

Across the village is a similar shack, the home of Fang-ed, his wife Ag-o-nai and their cute baby boy, Tim-tee-mon, who, clad in a "geestring," and wearing his Happy Hooligan pocket hat at a ludicrous angle on the back of his well shaped head capers around the big enclosure in childish glee, evidently as much amused by the big Americans who follow him around as they treat themselves by this wee bit of barbaric humanity.

At the farther end of the village is a neglected looking structure called the O-lag or dormitory for girls and unmarried women, for inasmuch as Igorrote children do not sleep at home with their parents each ward of the town has a dormitory each for the boys and the girls. In the minds of the Igorrote people the O-lag is uniformly regarded as the mating place of the young people and when an Igorrote girl steals a pocket hat or the pipe of the swain who has captured her fancy it is stated his never covers the property unless he calls on her at the O-lag.

At another bamboo structure sitting on his haunches as only a man who has never worn shoes may do, is old Oosing, whose scarred and tattooed body proclaims him a veteran of many a fierce conflict. Beside him is the strangest bellows that mortal ever saw. Two wooden tubes, about 6 inches in diameter, three feet high, fitted with pistons packed with chicken feathers and connected at the base with the fireplace where he heats steel bars to a red glow and fashions them into spears and

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THE WORLD'S TOTAL OF TELEPHONES

A recent careful estimate of the number of telephones in the world shows that there were at the beginning of the present year about 7,000,000. Of these about 2,000,000 were in Europe, 300,000 in other countries exclusive of the United States, where there were about 5,000,000, of which 3,000,000 were included in the Bell system, sprinkled more or less evenly throughout the country from ocean to ocean and from the Great Lakes to the Gulf, covering every state and territory. The Bell telephones, constituting the greatest system in existence, are linked together by more than 7,000,000 miles of wire. Of this network the Wisconsin Company is an essential part. Growing appreciation of the advantages of a comprehensive system is shown by the fact that hundreds of local companies have been united under a sub-license arrangement with the larger organization. Long distance connection is wanted everywhere.

head axes used by his people in war and in the chase.

A lawyer and a doctor were arguing over the merits of their respective professions. "I don't say that all lawyers are not straight," said the doctor, "but you will admit that your profession doesn't make angels of men." "No," retorted the lawyer, "your doctors certainly have the best of us there."

"Can any little boy," asked the new teacher, "tell me the difference between a lake and an ocean?" "I can," replied Edward, whose wisdom had been learned from experience. "Lakes are much pleasanter to swallow when you fall in."

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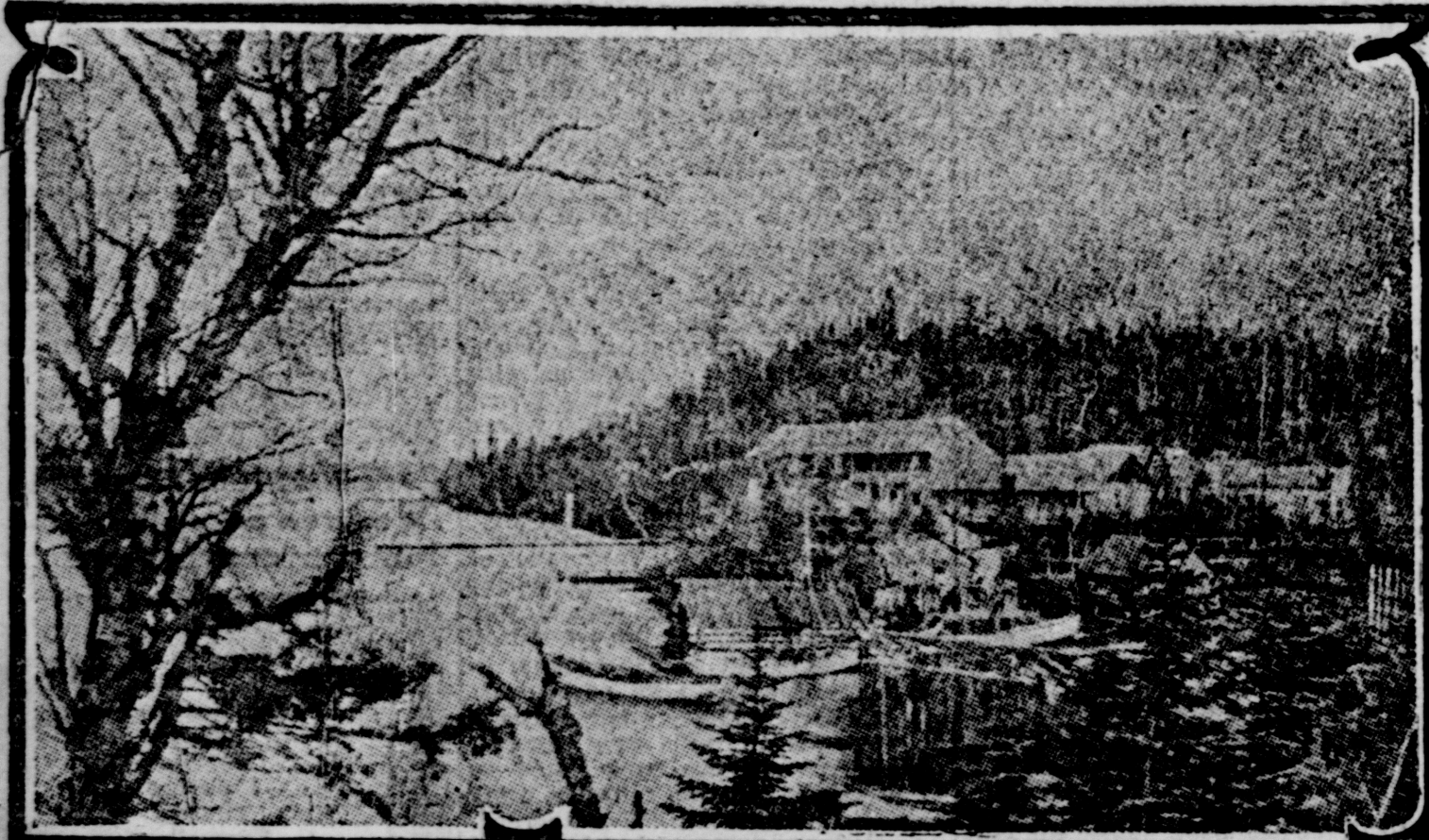
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ISLE ROYALE, IN LAKE SUPERIOR; MAP SHOWING LOCATION OF GREAT FOREST FIRES



HIBBING, Minn., Sept. 12.—The disclosures of the last 24 hours have proven beyond peradventure of a doubt that the forest fires now raging in North Minnesota, Wisconsin and the upper peninsula of Michigan are not the accidental fires they were once thought to be, but are part of a concerted plan of 125 desperate foreigners who were discharged from the mining region near here, but who were scattered over three states. It is understood by previous agreement they arranged to set these fires in order to get even with the mining company, and it is thought their intention was to wipe out this entire section of forests and many of the towns.

The awful fate of Chisholm and Snowball, in the northern part of Minnesota, are only part of the disaster which has befallen this part of the country. Grand Marais, on the lake, this city and any number of others have only escaped by miracle. Just as the fires approached the outskirts of the city rain fell and checked the flames. Thousands and thousands of dollars have gone up in



smoke in the last three days, and the city of Duluth alone has raised \$35,000 to relieve the want and deprivation of the range towns. The extensive forests on the shores of Isle Royale, in Lake Superior, have been completely wiped out. This island, though close to the Canadian boundary line, is a part of the United States. It is rich in deposits of copper, and so far removed is it from the usual routes of travel that it is

practically without a permanent population. Its many harbors are almost untouched by commerce, and only the temporary homes of sportsmen and hunters rise amid the wilderness of spruce and fire.

The National Guards have been ordered out to protect every route as far as possible, and an investigation is on foot to run down, if possible, any men involved in the deplorable scheme of revenge.

DOCKENDORFF IS NAT'L DELEGATE

Frank J. Dockendorff left last night for Cleveland, Ohio, as state delegate for the Wisconsin branch of the "Central Verein," a national

organization of German Catholic societies. The annual convention opens Sunday, Sept. 20, and lasts four days. This year's convention will be very interesting, as many questions of importance will come up for discussion. Mr. Dockendorff is at the same time acting as delegate for the St. Joseph's society of the cathedral.

OF INTEREST TO MANY
Foley's Kidney Cure will cure any case of kidney or bladder trouble that is not beyond the reach of medicine. No medicine can do more. O. T. Erhart.

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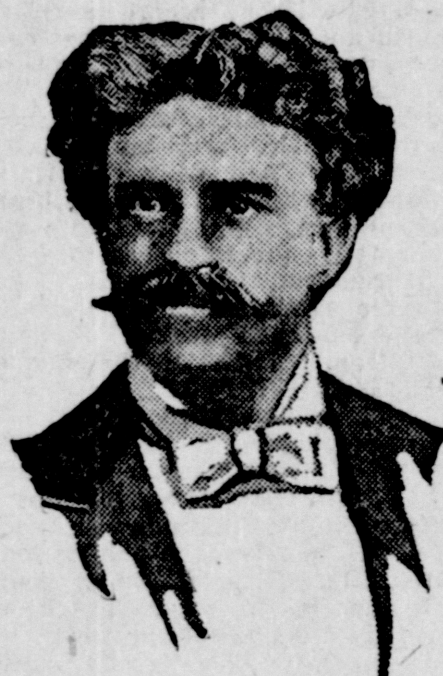
the distinguished vocalist, as instructor of its vocal courses. Miss Solon ranks among the great soprano soloists of the generation, her attainments having attracted wide attention. She was accorded the greatest series of ovations tendered any singer at the recent saengerfest, and to those who so heartily expressed their appreciation and approval at that time we need not say that she is far the greatest musician whose services have ever been afforded to the La Crosse public. Miss Solon has distinguished herself as a teacher as well as a performer, and it is with keen satisfaction and a pardonable pride that we invite the parents of La Crosse to avail themselves of the services of so talented a musician. Her coming marks a new epoch in the musical history of La Crosse—the epoch in which true genius is established in the vocal educational facilities of the city.

Pupils desiring instruction from Miss Solon should apply at once in order that the hour best suited to their need may be reserved for them.

Cordially,

La Crosse School of Music

MADISON MAN'S "BARN DANCE" A SENSATION



PROF. E. W. KEHL.

MADISON, Wis., Sept. 18.—When society opens for the season in the fall there will be introduced the "barn dance," which has created a great deal of discussion and interest since Prof. E. W. Kehl demonstrated it before the American Dancing Masters in Chicago recently. Terpsichorean artists were so enthused with the new creation that Professor Kehl, Prof. Louis Kretlow of Chicago and Prof. R. C. Grant of New York city were selected by the organization to go to Germany to attend the convention of the Society of Dancing Masters of the World and demonstrate this new novelty dance. This convention is now being held.

Professor Kehl is the "inventor" of the barn dance. The innovation has been a favorite among the students of the University of Wisconsin and the fashionable set of Wisconsin since last fall. It is a series of movements that are said to combine all the graces and stateliness of the courtly minuet, the abandon of the cakewalk, the archness and coquetry of the fandango and the rollicking jollity of the old military schottische. Professor Kehl recently said that the demonstrations at the Chicago convention proved the future of the "barn dance" and expert dancers will introduce it in society circles in the east early in the autumn.

One of the worst features of kidney trouble is that it is an insidious disease and before the victim realizes his danger he may have a fatal malady. Take Foley's Kidney Cure at the first sign of trouble as it corrects irregularities and prevents Bright's disease and diabetes. O. T. Erhart.

FILE WILL THAT IS 25 YEARS OLD

HELENA, Mont., Sept. 19.—The will and testament of H. L. Frank, the late capitalist of Butte, was filed for probate in District Judge Lynch's court. The will was executed in territorial days in Montana, and despite its age, more than twenty-five years, is in a fine state of preservation. It was written by A. W. Goldsmith of Cincinnati, a brother-in-law of the deceased, who is named as one of the executors of the will.

KILLED IN RUNAWAY

SPEARFISH, S. D., Sept. 19.—Lightning which struck near the wagon in which she was driving to her home in Chambrak, caused a runaway in which Mrs. Will Sharp lost her life. The woman was thrown out and alighting on her head was instantly killed.

MEETS SUDDEN DEATH

ROCHESTER, Minn., Sept. 19.—Mrs. Roy Wagner, wife of a member of the Wagner Music company, died suddenly of hemorrhage of the lungs. This is the third death in the Wagner family this year, all three of which have been sudden.

Some people are so lucky that when they are going on a church picnic they miss the start and are obliged to stay home and have a good time instead.

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PATROL OUT FOR "MASHERS"

CHICAGO, Sept. 19.—Efforts of nine Oak Park citizens to rid the village of "mashers" and "Peeping Toms" are proving successful. Last evening Thomas Roch, J. M. Jilich, and J. W. Rlesch patrolled the territory for three hours without result. Three mashers were arrested last week and fined amounts varying

from \$20 to \$25. This evening three more men will be detailed to travel fixed beats. The indignant citizens recently applied to the police for special stars and the right to arrest all loiterers in the community.

DEATH SEQUEL TO RACE RIOT

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Sept. 19.—Joe James, the negro slayer of Cler-

gy A. Ballard, must pay the penalty of death upon the gallows for the crime. The verdict was a result of the race riots in this city four weeks ago. The fixing of punishment at death was returned after the jury had deliberated for 12 hours.

The new diseases you hear about are only the old ones masquerading under terrifying names.



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PROMINENT MAN
DISCUSSES ISSUES

(Continued from page 1.)

Incidentally, "quit winner," as the boys say, by 70 millions of the American people's hard earned savings. Yes, some of my money went into that pot, and so did yours, although I never bought a stock or a bond in my life, and perhaps you never did. Our local bank sends money to a New York trust company to be invested. The New York trust company lends the money to some hard pressed Wall street firm, taking as collateral certain stocks, worth all the way from 150 to 200. Enter the panic, and the values of the stocks shrink exactly one-half. Your money is gone, although you do not find it out until at the next panic your bank is hit again and closes its doors for good.

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The price of living has risen forty per cent in the last ten years. And why? Because we, as a nation of producers are supporting ourselves and also a huge and ever growing army of parasites. Buy a pound of sugar. Three cents represent the actual cost of manufacture; the other three cents go, with a like amount from twenty million other Americans every day, to swell the already swollen fortunes of the Havemeyers, masters of the sugar trust, firm and impregnable behind the protective tariff.

Why Our Prosperity.
"But," cries some one, "never has the wealth of America today." Just so. Thanks to our wonderful natural resources and the inventive genius of our people, we have such tremendous vitality that we can pay a daily tax to forty parasitic trusts and yet keep body and soul together. Because Nature has given us riotously of her abundance and our inventors have lessened the cost of production to an amazing degree (both wonderfully consistent with the increased cost of living, are they not? Stop and think it over), are we any better off or are we any freer men because we tamely submit to robbery, in that we allow Morgan, Armour, Harriman, Rockefeller, Havemeyer and company by methods which are now perfectly legal, to pocket sixty dollars out of every hundred that we earn?

Now you are beginning to wonder where Roosevelt and Bryan come in. Let me explain.

Interests Diverge.
If I were a member of the United States senate, and not understanding some measure, were in doubt whether it really tended toward the interest of the people or of the trusts, I should wait for Aldrich's vote and then throw mine on the opposite side; and pat myself on the back a moment later as I saw Gore and Boi La Follette cast their votes with mine.

In other words, the interests of

The "Merry Widow" Hat.



—Harvard Lampoon.

the robbers and the robbed can never be identical, and the robbers, being fewer and shrewder and employing better lawyers, (Root, Knox, the late Arthur Pugh Gorman of Maryland, Senator Bailey of Texas, Penrose, Dalzell, etc.) know more quickly and more clearly on which side their bread is buttered, and do their best to shape the destinies of the nation accordingly. Every year these parasites are being banded more and more closely together. As Senator La Follette said in his speech against the Aldrich bill: "It is evident that all the trusts are gradually merging into one great money trust." In 1904 some of the gang, those who feared that democratic success meant lower tariff, stayed by the republican party in spite of Teddy and his early free trade beliefs. But the great majority, the gang who never did one dollar's worth of honest work in their lives, the Wall street crowd, were working tooth and nail for Parker? Why? Because, from their standpoint he was the "safe and sane" candidate. He was the man who was surest to let them alone.

Who's the "Gang" For?
Where is all this gang now? For whom are they yelling in this election? For William H. Taft of Ohio. They are not as enthusiastic over him as they would have been over some other candidate. They would have preferred the compliant Knox, their time tried ally, Foraker, or that staunch servitor, Joseph G. Cannon, who at the behest of the plutocracy, has figuratively spat upon every measure in the people's behalf that the president has suggested, and trampled it under foot.

Placid Taft Is "Safe."
But Taft, with his affable friendliness for every man, his calm, stolid judicial temperament, his personal acquaintance with and close friendship for the great corporation lawyers of the east, with the knowledge that if elected president he will probably sit still and smooth over trouble instead of fighting evils as his strenuous predecessor has done, is eminently satisfactory to them all.

Said J. Ogden Armour, on his return from Europe: "The election of Taft will give security and satisfaction to the great commercial interests of the country." A member of the house of J. P. Morgan and Co. is quoted as saying that the election of Taft is by all means to be desired; that Bryan's election would spell disaster to the great commercial interests.

Thomas F. Ryan, one of the gang who professes to be a democrat, spent thousands of dollars trying to prevent the nomination of Bryan, and is now working for Taft tooth and nail.

For whom is Henry H. Rogers going to vote? On which side of the fence is E. H. Harriman? Whom does John D. desire to see in the chair? William H. Taft.

The Courts: The Courts!
But why are they so violently opposed to Bryan? Only an unheard of landslide could make the senate democratic, even if Bryan is elected, and even then, with the votes of Bailey and a few other democratic traitors, the "interests" could still prevent very radical measures from becoming laws. No, this is not what they fear. They fear him for the judges whom he would appoint. A well known agent of the gang is quoted as saying: "We do not care who controls the legislative and executive branches of the government, just so that we control the judiciary." And he was right. Public sentiment, strongly aroused by our democratic president forces the passage of an anti-rebate law. The Stand-

Beauty and
Bad Breath

Cannot Go Together No Matter How a Woman May Try to Make Them.

It does not matter how beautiful a woman may be, if she is afflicted with bad breath she will be shunned and pitied by men and even women will studiously avoid her.

If any woman doubts this statement let her make a point of asking a friend in whom she may confide, a man friend or relative. If he be honest he will tell her that foul breath from the mouth of a woman will drive men from her more rapidly than any other personal affliction. Foul breath arouses in man disgust and where this quality is brought into play no amount of self denial or reasoning can overcome the natural repugnance which comes to man when he is in company with such a woman.

What is true of bad breath in woman is not true in so great a degree in men. Women are looked upon as the incarnation of sweetness, breeding, virtue and refinement. Foul breath will sicken a man so that he cannot feel for such a woman a companionship necessary to make him desire to be in her company.

There is absolutely no occasion for bad breath in either men or women. Charcoal, the strongest absorbent known, when taken into the stomach, will prevent this repugnant tendency or affliction.

Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges are sold in tremendous quantities all over America and Canada. They cure and have cured all forms of bad breath. A single box will convince you of this fact. One should eat some of these lozenges after each meal and upon retiring. You might eat fifty of them without harm. They are not medicine, but pure willow charcoal mixed with sweet honey to make them palatable and compressed into a lozenge to preserve their peculiar and lasting strength.

The next time you wish to go into company and don't want your foul breath to humiliate you, eat several of Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges and your breath will be pure and sweet.

Every druggist carries them, price 25 cents, or send us your name and address and we will send you a trial package by mail free. Address F. A. Stuart Co., 200 Stuart Bldg., Marshall, Mich.

NEARBY CITIES TOWNS
AND FARMS

McGREGOR, IOWA

Wednesday the Old Heads of McGregor and the Young Fellows crossed bats, the Old Heads winning by a score of 8 to 7. Batteries: Old Heads, Duffer and Brennan; Young Fellows, Kramer and Gray.

Wm. Quigley is visiting at Elkader.

J. C. Parnell of Postville has been spending a few days in the city.

Miss Martha Richards has returned from a pleasant visit at Elkader.

There are several new cases of scarlet fever reported.

Mr. and Mrs. Jaynes went to Elkader Wednesday morning.

Miss Ruth Styles is sick and Guy Kramer is taking her place as operator.

Robert Quigley is attending court at Elkader.

Lou Stone, the genial barber at Kossacks, is visiting at his home at Waukon, also taking in the fair.

J. K. Gray was at Ridgeway and Cresco the first of the week.

Mr. Almanrode of North McGregor moved his family to this city Tuesday.

Miss Charlotte Kossack is teaching the Gird school this year.

Miss Regina and Leo Brennan and Wm. Dornbach are attending the state college at Ames.

G. F. Freeman has returned from Chicago and Milwaukee.

Rev. Cleveland of Ossian held church on the Swede Ridge Sunday.

Mr. A. A. Horning went to Waukon Wednesday morning.

The Ladies' Industrial society met with Mrs. Cronnir Friday afternoon.

Gid Townsend has improved his residence with a new roof.

D. E. Brandt of Dubuque and L. Clark of Stearns Point were the guests of H. B. Morgan.

Fred Bergman has received another carload of fine watermelons.

Miss Don Elwell departed this week for Brooklyn, N. Y., where she will attend the Pratt Institute of Domestic Science. Miss Jean also goes to the same place.

Clarence Manke departed for Fayette to continue his studies at U. I. U.

Mr. Charles Kramer has just completed a large barn and silo on his farm on O. R. R. Hill. He is hauling rock for a foundation for a new residence. This will be a fine improvement and Mr. Kramer will have a fine farm close to town.

Mr. William Pearsall departed for New York city to enter Columbia university.

Lester Johnson has sold his farm to J. A. Ramage.

Carl Emerson of Pierre was calling on friends and relatives this week.

Herman Kossack is papering and painting his barber shop.

Harry Giese has a fine new barber pole and a new electric sign in front of his shop.

Mrs. Frank Larabee went to Clermont Monday morning for a visit with ex-Governor and family.

Miss Lydia Theliot is visiting at Elkader.

Mrs. Felber departed for Monona Monday morning for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Lena Walsh.

GENOA NEWS

A. A. Zytoske is having his building painted.

Miss Mary Kaine, who has been visiting Miss Gerty Franzini here, returned to her home at Lansing, Ia., Thursday noon.

John Trussoni has moved on his farm recently purchased from Wm. Page.

James Laylan has moved into the house purchased from John Trussoni.

Freddy Berra, who had the misfortune to hurt his hand last Sunday,

and Oil company keeps on exacting rebates. They are caught red handed, convicted and fined. Three republican judges, safe from the wrath of the people, reverse the decision. The Standard Oil company goes right on rebating, and says, practically, "What are you going to do about it?"

The Final Fight.

The next four years may see a crisis in our history. We must make one Titanic effort to throw off the shackles of the money power, which are slowly closing around our executive and legislative departments, as they have closed in upon the judiciary. The times call for no honest, stolid, phlegmatic man like Taft. We must have a president who is not only incorruptible but fully awake to the dangers that threaten us, alert and vigorous. Since Roosevelt has refused to run again, I know of only two men whom I would trust in the president's chair for the coming term. One is Robert M. La Follette and the other is William J. Bryan. Some day I hope to be able to vote for La Follette for president. As it is, this year I am for Bryan.

The "interests" have already raised their scare-cries. The old catch words "unsafe and unsound," "populist," "socialist," "depressor of business," "shaker of confidence," "panic-maker," etc., have all been raised. But they know that as Thomas W. Lawson said in a recent advertisement, "even if Debs or Higgs should be elected president, business would run along exactly as before." And when it comes to knowledge of American finance and business, Thomas can give us all cards and spades.

A celebrated Wisconsin democrat once said of Grover Cleveland, "We love him for the enemies he has made."

And in the fight which is now on, the same is true of W. J. Bryan. The hosts of greed, and graft, and monopoly, and special privilege, and mammon are all arrayed against him. And for this reason, if for no other, I know that he is fighting the people's battle.

INDEPENDENT VOTER.

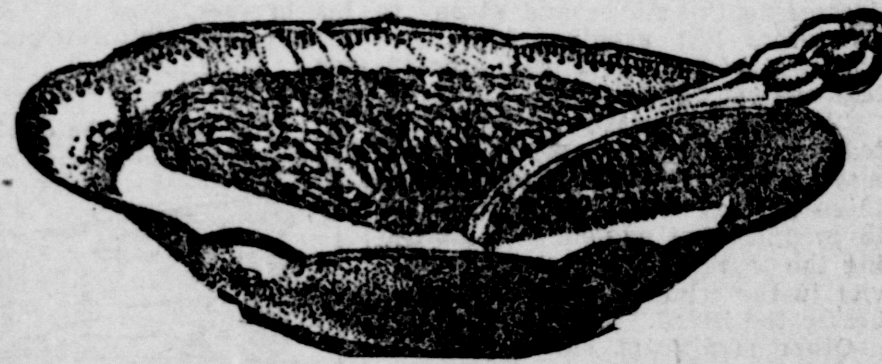
WHY SPEND
MONEY FOR
MEAT AND EGGS

when you can get more muscle-making, brain-building material out of

SHREDDED WHEAT

at one-fourth the cost?—And you will feel brighter, stronger and happier.

Two Shredded Wheat Biscuits with milk or cream and a little fruit will supply all the energy needed for a half day's work at a cost of five or six cents.



Heat in Oven Before Serving.

If you are not up to "top-notch" condition, cut out meat, eggs and pastries, and try Shredded Wheat for ten mornings. Shredded Wheat is the whole wheat, steam-cooked, shredded and baked. It is not "treated," "flavored" or "compounded" with anything. For breakfast, heat the Biscuit in oven to restore crispness, pour hot milk over it, add a little cream and a dash of salt. Your grocer sells it.

is now at St. Francis hospital at La Crosse.

John Franzini is now putting siding on his house.

John Kroner of La Crosse and W. H. Foegle of Chicago spent last Thursday here fishing with Thos. Latimer and F. Morelli.

Mrs. Chas. Elgar was in La Crosse to see her sister, who is very sick.

Charles Ott moved his houseboat to La Crosse, where he will cut brush.

Jos. Corti, Jr., who has been at St. Francis hospital at La Crosse for the past several weeks, returned home last Monday.

Mrs. Marcia Carpenter of Bloxi, Miss., is visiting friends here.

Henry Sherman has arrived here from Pierre, S. D.

Mrs. Hutson was called to De Soto

again Wednesday evening to see her mother, who is very sick.

Burt Clements and family and Miss Adams went to Victory in their launch Thursday evening.

Carl Monti is attending Pinono college at Milwaukee, Wis.

Mrs. Marcus Hansen of La Crosse is visiting relatives here.

LITERARY AND MUSICAL PROGRAM

The following musical and literary program will be given in the Westminster Presbyterian church next Tuesday evening:

Piano solo Miss Lila Bigelow

Vocal solo Miss Marion Johnson

Recitation Miss Gertrude Dickens

Violin solo Miss Mayme Foster

Recitation Miss Isabel Van Loon

Vocal solo Miss Inez Mumford

Violin, cello and piano

Misses Foster and Bigelow

Song John and Lucy Bates

Piano duet Misses Foster, Bigelow

Recitation Miss Dickens

Piano solo John Bates

PLAN DAY FOR CLASS FIGHT

APPLETON, Wis., Sept. 19.—

(Special.)—President Plantz announced today that class scraps, which have been increasing in viciousness the last few years, would no longer be tolerated. It is proposed to grant a holiday in a few weeks at which time the surplus energies of the rival freshmen and sophomors may be worked off. The events will be under the supervision of a committee composed of members of the faculty and upper classmen. It is expected also to make this occasion enjoyable from a social standpoint.

Cured Hay Fever and Summer Cold

A. J. Nusbaum, Batesville, Indiana, writes: "Last year I suffered for three months with a summer cold so distressing that it interfered with my business. I had many of the symptoms of hay fever, and a doctor's prescription did not reach my case, and I took several medicines which seemed to only aggravate my case. Fortunately I insisted upon having Foley's Honey and Tar in the yellow package, and it quickly cured me. My wife has since used Foley's Honey and Tar with the same success."

O. T. Erhart.

A double wedding is simply a case of putting two and two together.

INTER-STATE FAIR SEPTEMBER
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TICKETS

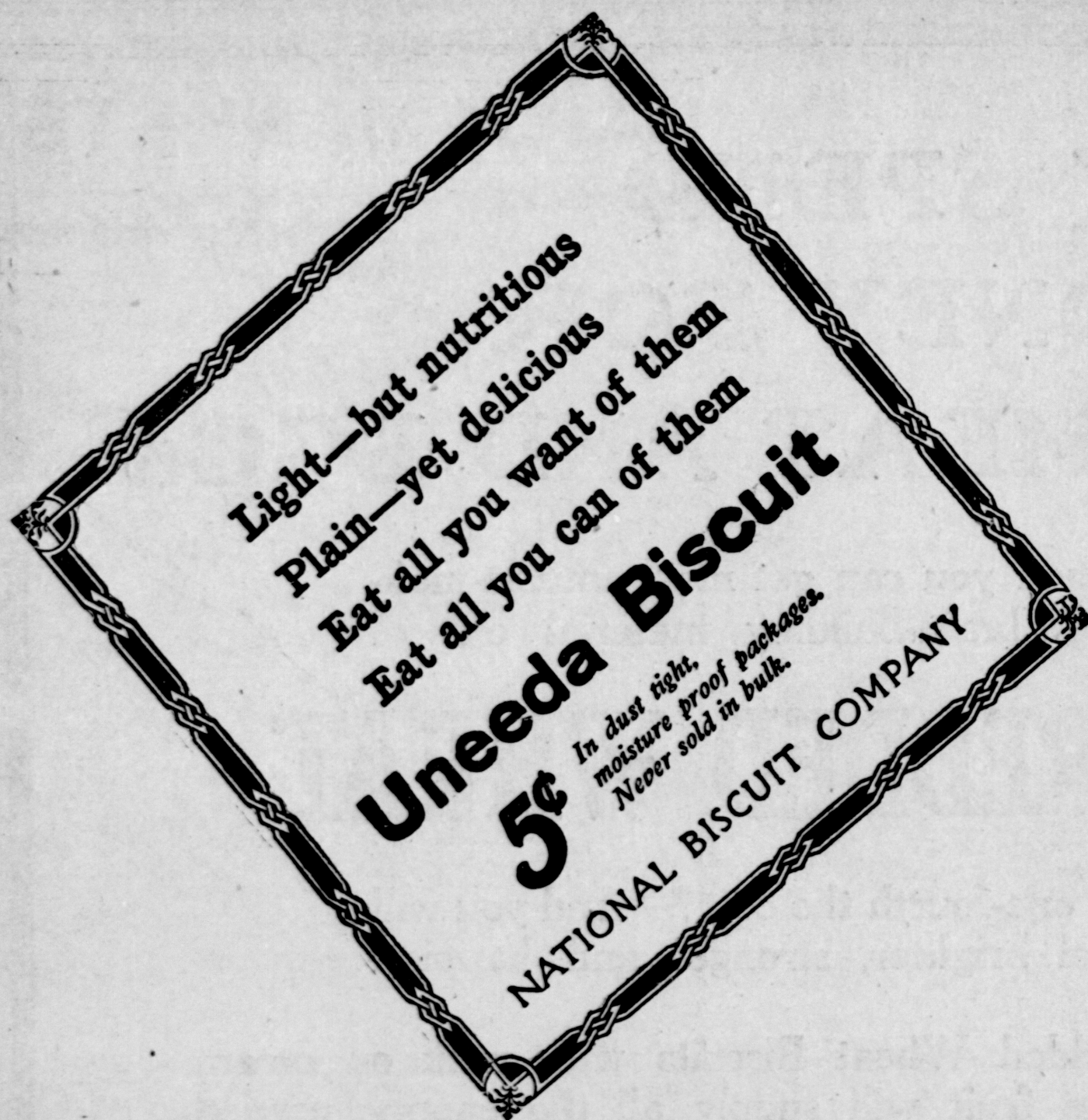
Vehicles of all kinds	\$0.25
For horses	.25
For each adult person	.50
Season ticket for one person	1.00
Season ticket for driver and vehicle	2.00
Exhibitor's season tickets	1.00
Children from 12 to 15 years	.15
Children under 12 years	Free
Grand stand	.25
Grand stand, reserved seat	.50

The season tickets are now on sale at Hebbard's Drug Store, Fourth & Main, Heil's Shoe Store, Fourth & Main, Young's Drug Store, Third & Main, Peter Newburg, No. 326 Pearl Street.

EXCURSION RATES ON RAILROADS, ONE FARE AND ONE
HALF FOR THE ROUND TRIP FROM ALL POINTS
150 MILES DISTANT FROM LA CROSSE

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WISCONSIN NEWS

PRIESTS BRANDED AS FALSIFIERS

FATHER VAUGHN COMES OUT STRONG AGAINST OTHERS

HIS PLAY IN NO GOOD TASTE

He Says That the Catholic Faith Is Not Religion of Sentimentality or Rhapsody of Gush

JANESVILLE, Wis., Sept. 19. — Father L. J. Vaughan, who is living at Oak Lawn, this city, charges those who said he had repudiated the authorship of "A Woman of the West," the play which has created so great a disturbance in the La Crosse diocese, guilty of a deliberate falsehood. He supplements his statement with the declaration that the play contains nothing that might violate the Catholic conscience.

Doesn't Believe in "Mincing." "I understand that some of the clergy have stated to their people that I have repudiated the authorship of the play," said Father Vaughan. "There is not use mincing words to answer such a statement. Any priest who has said or may say that I have denied the authorship of the piece is guilty of deliberate falsehood."

"I regret to hear that any bishop or priest of the Catholic church has been so imprudent as to criticize or condemn a work which he has never seen. 'A Woman of the West' is a play in perfect harmony and accord with Catholic sentiment and usage and in no particular does it touch upon a sacred ceremony or rite of the church."

Faith, Not Gush. "The Catholic faith is not a religion of sentimentality, but a religion of principles; a religion of the intellect, and not a rhapsody of sentimental gush. The play 'A Woman of the West' touches no principle of faith, morals, or usage. It is purely, a secular play, touching indeed the religious sentiment of the characters presented, but carefully avoiding any religious belief, rite, or usage. The church scene, is simply a picture intended to bring out the instinctive respect of human nature for the house of God. "The play has been seen by thousands of Catholic laity and hundreds of the clergy. No one who has seen it has as yet raised a question as to its good taste or uplifting influence. The play is really the strongest appeal to Catholic sentiment which has ever been presented in story or drama."

WOULD BOOST THE TARIFF ON WOOD

APPLETON, Wis., Sept. 19. — Instead of removing the tariff on wood pulp, Frank J. J. Sensenbrenner, vice president of the Kimberley and Clark company, the largest individual paper concern in this country, testified before the congressional committee, that the tariff should be boosted to a prohibitive point and thereby force Canada into submission regarding the free exportation of the pulp wood.

MEETS DEATH HUNTING

WAUSAU, Wis., Sept. 19.—The first hunting accident of the season in Marathon county has occurred. John Duerrstein of Marathon City, while hunting rabbits, slipped off a stump, exploding a double barreled shotgun. Both charges of shot entered his abdomen. He lived but a short time.

RYAN GIVES HOT ANSWER TO ROSE

HINTS AT CRIMINAL ACTION AGAINST CHIEF CLANCY

MAYOR'S PETITION FLIMSY

Five More Have Already Been Added to the Number Dismissed and Fight Waxes Warm

MILWAUKEE, Sept. 19.—The men discharged by Chief Clancy last night are:

Engineer William J. Sullivan, engine company No. 13, formerly with engine company No. 1.

Engineer Christopher Trainor, engine company No. 6, transferred one year ago from the repair shop.

George Glassner, operator at city hall.

Charles J. Neuss, blacksmith, repair shop.

Pipeman J. J. Sheehan, engine company No. 1.

Sullivan, Trainor, Glassner and Neuss are dismissed, according to a statement by Chief Clancy, for "the good of the service."

"Pipeman Sheehan is dismissed," said Chief Clancy, "for having been twice off duty without permission. The last time he was gone five days, leaving last Saturday and returning Thursday at noon."

The Clancy-Harden episode in the

fire department is far from ended, according to Hugh Ryan, of Ryan, Ogden & Bottum, attorney for the discharged firemen. In an open letter, highly sarcastic in tone, addressed to the mayor and given to the press last evening, Mr. Ryan openly threatens criminal proceedings against Chief Thomas A. Clancy. "It is very greatly to be regretted," says the Ryan reply to the mayor, "that the action taken upon these charges will make it necessary to produce that evidence (establishing the truth of Armstrong's affidavit) in the criminal court instead of before the board."

Other significant statements regarding the charges are made. The affidavit of Armstrong is declared "virtually to charge Chief Clancy with petty graft and petit larceny" and great stress is laid upon the decision of the supreme court in the Starkweather case.

Mayor Misconstrues Law. The letter rips the Rose argument full of holes. It assails the mayor's law and his statement of facts. It opens with an interpretation of the law governing the mayor in his action on such charges as those presented to him which is diametrically opposed to the mayor's interpretation of the law.

Says Clancy Lied. The letter asserts that the mayor ignored the real gravamen of the charge against the chief in the McAneny matter, which was that "Clancy lied to McAneny; that he told McAneny that the board insisted upon his discharge, whereas the fact is that the board unanimously recommended that he be let off with a fine or lay-off."

Hold Meeting Today. The discharge of Harden and the others under the circumstances, Mr. Ryan denominates as "worse than a blunder, it is a crime," and it is asserted it will shock the public conscience.

It is understood a meeting will be

held today at which the discharged men and their attorney will determine upon the next step to be taken in the fight, for it is promised that it is a fight and that it will be continued until all the inner secrets of the fire department have been spread before the public, which is to be the judge and the jury in the case if the mayor persists in his refusal to send the charges to the board of fire and police commissioners for a hearing.

STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

OCONOMOWOC.—The W. R. C. at its meeting of Sept. 30 will celebrate the birthday anniversary of Mrs. Louise C. Williams, who has held the position of president for the last fourteen years. On Wednesday, Oct. 7, the district W. R. C. convention is to be held here.

OSCEOLA.—Next Wednesday, Samuel F. Oakley of this village and Miss May G. Spike of Madison will be married at the home of the bride's sister. He is the son of Judge and Mrs. Charles H. Oakley.

OSHKOSH.—Jesse Kirk, who was sandbagged three weeks ago while in Minneapolis, has been brought home suffering from partial paralysis of the face and neck and a lame shoulder.

OCONOMOWOC.—Miss Edwina Hurlbut, daughter of the late E. W. Hurlbut, has accepted the position of teacher of elocution in the New Or-Stevens Point.—The local branch of the Humane society has been reorganized with Mrs. C. B. Baker as president and S. G. Stoddard as agent.

WAUSAUKEE.—Fire Warden C. Munger has caused the arrest of A. A. Grandy for setting fires on farm lands, which he had contracted to clear. It is believed that some of the forest fires in this vicinity have been caused by the negligence of farmers clearing their lands.

WOODHULL.—What is believed to have been an attempt to fire the cheese factory of J. A. Stratz was frustrated by the early discovery of his brother, who put out the incipient blaze with a few buckets of water.

What's the Use?



The Parson—Ah, Pat, wasting your money in there again! You ought to put by for a rainy day.

Pat—Sure, thin, O'd never spend ut at all, at all. It's laid up wid rheumatism O' am when the weather's wet an' can't go out o' the house.—Sketch.

RACES AT ELKHORN & CHIPPEWA FALLS

ELKHORN, Wis., Sept. 19.—Twenty thousand people witnessed the last day's racing at the fair here yesterday and saw The Scamp, driven by Otto Zapel of Chicago, make Pan Boy go three miles better than 2:14 over a slow track to beat him. The summary of the races looks like a procession, but it was a horserace from wire to wire, with Pan Boy, The Scamp, and Flutie L. abreast and fighting three miles over a track that was seconds slow. Summary:

2:25 pace, purse \$400:
Pan Boy, ch. h. 1 1
The Scamp, ch. h. 2 2
Flutie L., b. m. 3 3
Misha, b. m. dis
Manda B., b. m. dis

Time, 2:13, 2:14½, 2:13½.
2:20 trot, purse \$400:
Sideview Belle, b. m. 1 1
Chesko, b. s. 2 2
Leona, b. m. 3 3
Yankee Boy, b. g. 4 4

Time, 2:22½, 2:24½, 2:22½.
2:25 trot, purse \$400:
O. K. Stagall, g. g. 1 1
Colonel C., b. s. 2 2
Cedillian Blabe, b. m. 3 3
Major Law, b. g. 4 4
Belle G., c. m. 5 5
Jay See, br. g. 6 6
Little Carrie, b. m. 7 7

Time, 2:16½, 2:17, 2:19½.
CHIPPEWA FALLS, Wis., Sept. 19.—Yesterday was Commercial Travelers' day at the Northern Wisconsin State fair and members of the organization from all portions of the northwest were in attendance, swelling the crowd to a record breaker for Friday. Race summaries:

2:30 pace, purse \$500:
Will Stack, (Bayne) 1 1
Onadone (Ringquist) 2 2
Daisy Smith (Petit) 3 4
Joe Roy (Ryan) 4 3
No Str (Gove) 5 5
Time, 2:16½, 2:19½, 2:18½.

Commercial Travelers' free for all, purse \$300:
Pat Ford (Johnson) 1 1
Prince Charming (Baldwin) 2 2 3



War Dance, Igorrote Village.

American Boy (McQuiller) 3 3 2
Phoebe (Davis) 4 4 4
Tommy Hawk (Kappers) ... 5 5 5
Time—2:16½, 2:16, 2:13.
Gentleman's driving race, purse \$100:
Ole Boye (Thorpy) 2 1 1
H. D. Parsons (Hart) ... 1 2 2
John L. (Lueden) 3 4 5
Buster Brown (Smith) ... 4 5 4
Don H. (Richards) 5 3 5
Time—1:10½, 1:10, 1:10.

The best way to get along with a red-headed woman's temper is to let some other fellow be married to it.



"Pleasant and Enjoyable"

It is (in the hot summer months) to spend a few weeks where the ocean breezes blow, particularly if the regular comforts and necessities of civilized life, including a really good malt and hop beer like

Gund's Peerless Beer

are to be had. This famous beer, brewed with sterling honesty, foams with life, sparkles with strength and the very taste of it is a pure delight. Every bottle is warranted to stand any climate, being fully aged and mature. Its aromatic tang and delicious mellow fragrance makes "Peerless" peculiarly grateful in hot weather. "Peerless" does not create thirst but quenches it, because it is brewed by the "Gund Natural Process" from the best hops and barley in the world. It satisfies and pleases, stimulates the gastric juices, and doctors declare that it is not only "a ripping good medicine" for those who are weak and run down, but is also of substantial food value when solid foods are inadvisable. It contains but 3½% of alcohol (which aids digestion) and is thus really a temperance beverage. For 50 years it has surpassed all its competitors and represents in the most literal sense "the survival of the fittest." Bottled at La Crosse only. Sold everywhere by reputable dealers. The home and family trade a specialty. Try a case delivered—a case of "Peerless"—"the beer that makes you glad." Always the same—good and pure. Write or phone or call if you want for your home the best bottled beer that is to be had.

John Gund Brewing Co., - La Crosse, Wis.

Every Bottle is Guaranteed Under the Pure Food and Drug Act of June 30th, 1906. No. 3244.



CHIEF OTOTAWA
Warrior With Gory Record, Igorrote Village.



Was It A Maid You Wanted?

The well posted woman reads Tribune Want Ads. She knows that it is the quickest way to get a maid—cook—nurse or washerwoman. Most women, however, complain that a good girl is hard to get. It is, unless you read Tribune Want Ads.

It's more dignified than to visit all the employment agencies. The maid who puts her ad in The Tribune is worthy of your consideration.

She wants a position in a first class home, and is particular. To get a particular girl

—READ TRIBUNE WANT ADS!

Help Wanted—Male

WANTED—Men to learn barber trade, will equip shop for you or furnish position, few weeks complete, constant practice, careful instruction, tools given. Saturday wages, diploma granted, write for catalogue, Moler Barber College, Chicago, Ill.

WANTED—For U. S. Army: Able-bodied, unmarried men, between ages of 18 and 35; citizens of United States, of good character and temperate habits, who can speak, read and write English. For information apply to Recruiting Officer, Hotel Grand, La Crosse, Wis.

WANTED—Ladies and gentlemen to sell our goods. A proven winner for agents. Fabric Implement Co., 1605 Farnam St., La Crosse, Wis.

WANTED—Tinner, Gateway City Steel Tank & Rfg. Co., 9th & Green Bay Sts.

WANTED—Young men to register now for Y. M. C. A. night school. Telephone.

WANTED—Men in quarry. Steady work. Good wages. La Crosse Stone Co.

WANTED—Delivery boy. H. F. Runge, 314 So. 4th.

WANTED—Post office clerks and carriers. Examinations will be held in La Crosse and many other cities in November. Particulars free. Washington Civil Service School, Dept. 576, Washington, D. C.

YOUNG MEN—How can you get ahead in the world if you spend all your wages? In the Navy the pay is good and the chance to save has been the making of many a young man. All kinds of work, including many trades, make life in the Navy interesting and enjoyable. The intelligent man thinks of what he saves and not what he gets. The careless man wastes his money on pleasures. In the Navy there are interesting cruises, minstrel shows, athletic games and plenty of time for recreation all the year around which cost little or nothing. In the Navy your pay is practically all clear. If you enlist without a trade, you get the benefit of a free training. You will get paid from the start and have board, free lodging, a sixty dollar outfit and medical attention free. If you know a trade you get higher wages to begin with; the apprentice has a chance to make himself a master at his trade. Life in the Navy is not all work. There are many interesting lessons and drills; there are also generous hours free for recreation, study or sport. Most ships have baseball and football teams, rowing crews, minstrel troupes, etc. Write for further information, or call at Navy Recruiting Station, Post-office Bldg., Minneapolis, Minn., or if living at a distance, address Bureau of Navigation, Navy Department, Washington, D. C.

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—Girls at American House.

WANTED—Girls, chocolate dipping and packing. Funke's Candy Co.

WANTED—Girl for general housework, 1619 Madison. New phone, 879-C.

WANTED—Girl at the Chop Suey House, 125 So. 3rd.

WANTED—Competent girl to do housework. Small family, 216 So. 7th.

WANTED—Girls, apply to La Crosse Paper Box Co., 120 S. Front St.

WANTED—Girls to run sewing machines. Steady work. La Crosse Clothing Co.

WANTED—Girl for general housework, 520 So. 5th.

WANTED—Girls at Modern Steam Laundry.

WANTED—Girl for general housework in small family. 315 So. 9th St.

WANTED—Competent girl at 130 So. 9th St.

WANTED—Women agents for the Woodmen Casualty Co. Accident and sick benefit. Call Monday or address Miss Bertha Severson, State Mgr., 615 So. 7th St., La Crosse, Wis.

For Sale

FOR SALE—Set of engineering books. Complete with all the Scranston School Models, very cheap if taken at once. Apply at Tribune Office.

FOR SALE—Good second hand lumber of all kinds. Enquire at old Sawyer & Austin mill site or call up A. J. Roberge, 2211 old phone.

FOR SALE—Wood heater, 1633 Mississippi St.

FOR SALE—150 strictly good 1,100-pound feeding steers, good quality, all dehorned and fleshy. Sell all or part for September delivery. Gifford Bros., Mitchell, S. D.

FOR SALE—Reasonable, a good driving horse, 5 years old, black. Inquire Eagle Hotel.

FOR SALE—Season tickets for week of Inter-State Fair. Good for one admission each day, \$1.00. On sale at Fred Hell Shoe Co., 4th and Main; Hebbard's Drug Store, 4th and Main; Young's Drug Store, 3rd and Main; Peter Newburg, 324 Pearl St.

FOR SALE—8 room house, with barn on large lot. Leaving city. 1227 Denton.

FOR SALE—Half interest in boat-house at foot of St. Cloud street. Inquire at 1453 Kane street.

FOR SALE—Combination bookcase and folding bed, practically new. Inquire 608 No. 9th.

FOR SALE—A set of 12 volumes of Encyclopedia of Law. A bargain. Address B. F. care of Tribune.

FOR SALE—Three stores 20 ft. x 90 ft. at No. 207-209-211 Main street, also Burlington hotel, 108 No. 2nd St. Inquire of Joseph Boschert, Trustee Fay Estate.

FOR SALE—Small launch, cheap. Will trade for horse and buggy. Phone, Black 7061.

FOR SALE—Farm, cheap, 220 acres good land, good house, two barns and stable, known as the John E. Jones place, south of Rockland. This land belongs to the estate and must be sold. Write or call E. D. James, Rockland, Wis.

FOR SALE—Half interest in boat house. Foot of St. Cloud St. Inquire at 1453 Kane St.

FOR SALE—Showcase, walnut, with nickel trimmings, 1436 Caledonia St.

FOR SALE—Nice palm. Inquire N. Tribune Office.

FOR SALE—Farm 160 acres, improved farm, new buildings, stock, etc., 1 1/2 miles from Bangor. Running water in pasture. Inducing price and terms if taken at once. Inquire P. H. Sheldon, Bangor.

FOR SALE—Cook stove, 919 Market.

FOR SALE—Pope Waverly automobile, in best of condition. Address, "P. W.," Tribune.

FOR SALE—5 acre truck farm in the city limits. Enquire, Cafe.

For Rent

FOR RENT—Large front room suitable for two. 326 Cass.

FOR RENT—All kinds modern furnished rooms. Second floor, Tribune Bldg.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, steam heat, 415 So. 5th.

FOR RENT—Or sale—A farm of 160 acres. C. Lynch, Ettrick, Wis.

FOR RENT—Double store, 114-116 No. Front. Apply to McClellan Paper Co.

FOR RENT—Furnished room, suitable for gentlemen and wife or 2 gentlemen, 618 Cass.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished rooms, \$1.00, \$1.50, at the Michel, 201-3 So. Front St. All modern conveniences. New phone No. 697-C. Aug. C. Rhode, Prop.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, 513 Ferry. Reasonable price and board next door.

FOR RENT—Part of nicely furnished house. K. C. S. Tribune.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms. Modern. 721 So. 4th.

FOR RENT—4 rooms in cottage, 420 So. 7th. Enquire 914 So. 9th.

FOR RENT—Four rooms. Inquire 508 No. 5th St.

FOR RENT—Convenient rooms furnished for housekeeping, 516 Division St.

Lost

LOST—Bob tailed tiger cat. Return to J. P. Fetter, 215 N. 8th St. and receive reward.

LOST—Pair of glasses in case, on river or ridge road, between La Crosse and Drexbach. Leave at this office. Reward.

Nothing Like It

W. H. BARKER Cough Remedy is the best medicine on earth.

Typewriters

TYPEWRITERS for Sale or Rent. Weis' Book Store, 509 Main St.

Insurance

TORNADO INSURANCE—\$4.00 per thousand for 3 years; \$6.00 for 5 years. C. A. Van Auken, 328 Pearl St.

Groceries

PRICES cut on everything. Stock entirely new. Birnbaum's Cash Store, 1124 Gillette St.

Coast Shipments

CUT RATES on household goods to Pacific Coast and other points. Superior service at reduced rates. The Boyd Transfer Co., Minneapolis, Minn.

Patterns

WE Sell Pictorial Review Patterns; mail orders promptly filled. Weis' Book Store, 509 Main St., La Crosse.

Architects, Superintendents

SCHICK & ROTH—Bataavian Bank Building. Telephone 290.

Financial

LOANS MADE SALARIED PEOPLE on furniture, pianos, horses, wagons. No removal, no publicity. La Crosse Mortgage & Loan Co., 322 Main street, upstairs.

Transfer Line

FURNITURE moved and stored, jobbing of all kinds. Buildings bought and sold. Otto Granke, 831 Rose St. Old phone, 6064; new phone, 1018C.

Painting-Paperhanging.

C. A. DEBOLD, Painting, Paperhanging, Hardwood Finishing. Old phone, 4477. 18th and Green Bay Sts.

Public Stenography

311 McMillan Bldg. Old phone, 5885—New phone, 452-A.

Real Estate

FOR RENT.
11 room brick house, full modern, 7 blocks from Park Store. \$35.00
7 room house, modern, between 10th and 11th on Cameron Avenue. \$20.00
10 room brick dwelling house, good location. \$18.00
Several flats with city heat in best location.

FOR SALE.
Fine residence on West Av. south A variety of residence properties in different parts of the city. A small confectionery store in very good location for \$300
Get your Fire Insurance, Bonds, Notarial Work, Money to Loan of C. F. KLEIN, 208 McMillan Bldg. La Crosse, Wis.

Miscellaneous

WANTED—Storm sash to repair. Glass set and painted if desired. Your work solicited. Phone or call A. & C. Johnson, 221 Main.

WANTED—Modern flat or house, 5 or 6 rooms, family of 2. Address W. this office.

WANTED—5 cents each will be paid for the following missing Tribunes: 1908, March 2; 1907, March 23, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30; June 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 17, 21, 31; July 15, 18, 19, 20, 22, 23, 24; Aug. 12 and 15; Sept. 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 11, 12, 13, 23, 25; Oct. 2, 3, 7, 8, 21; Nov. 2 and 13; Dec. 19, 20, 23, 24.

WANTED—Position, hotel clerk, day or night, experienced, H. M. Adriani, 446 E. 4th St., Winona, Minn.

WANTED—Two or three furnished or partially furnished rooms for light house keeping, centrally located. "C. C." care of Tribune.

WANTED—Furnished house for winter by 3 ladies. E. T. J. Tribune.

WANTED—At once, 5 or 6 room house with or without barn. Address, K. C. S., Tribune.

WANTED—A collector who can furnish bond. Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, McMillan Bldg.

NOTICE OF PROPOSAL.

State of Wisconsin, Circuit court for Dane County.
In the matter of the Badfish Drainage District.
The undersigned commissioners of the Badfish Drainage District, located at Oregon, Dane County, Wisconsin, do hereby invite sealed proposals to do the work provided for by the plans and specifications of said drainage district.

Proposals shall be as follows:
(1) For the main drain.
(2) For the laterals.
(3) For the tile drain.
(4) For all the work.
Proposals should be sent to George Hartlein, secretary of the Board of Commissioners, Oregon, Wisconsin, and will be opened upon the eighth day of October, 1908, at ten o'clock in the forenoon. Commissioners reserve the right to reject any and all bids. Parties making proposals must be able to satisfy the commissioners that they are able to do the said work. Copies of the plans and specifications are on file with the clerk of the Circuit Court for Dane County at Madison, Wisconsin; or a copy of the same will be furnished upon application to George Hartlein, secretary of the board of Commissioners, Oregon, Wisconsin.
Dated this 10th day of September, 1908.

SHELDON TUSLER,
C. A. HANAN,
GEORGE HARTLEIN,
Commissioners.

TENNESSE, HALL, DAVES & SANDERSON, Madison, Wisconsin, Attorneys for Commissioners.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION TO COUNTY COURT

State of Wisconsin, County Court, La Crosse County, ss: In Probate. Notice is hereby given that at a regular term of the County Court, to be held in and for said County, at the Court House, in the City of La Crosse, in said County, on the first Tuesday, being the sixth day of October, A. D. 1908, at ten o'clock a. m., the following matter will be heard and considered, namely:
In the matter of the last will of John Van Zandbergen, deceased. The application of Wm. S. Burroughs, executor for the settlement and allowance of his final administration account, and for the assignment of the residue of the estate left by deceased, to such other persons as are by law entitled to the same.
Dated Sept. 12, 1908.
By order of the Court,
JOHN BRINDLEY,
County Judge.

"Married life is frequently unhappy," mused the cynical bachelor, "because a woman can't always distinguish between a man's peace of mind and a piece of hers."

WANT COMMISSION ORDERS REVERSED

SUPERIOR RAILWAY FIGHT IS TAKEN UP AGAIN

CALL DECISIONS ILLEGAL

Lawyers for Railroads Secure Writs Today and Commission Must Answer in Thirty Days

MADISON, Wis., Sept. 19.—(Special.)—Two recent orders of the state railroad rate commission are declared illegal and void and their reversal is asked in petitions filed in the circuit court here today.

The order by which the permission was granted the Wisconsin and Northern Minnesota railway to construct a line through the city of Superior and across the tracks of the Lake Superior Terminal and Transfer railway is declared void by the latter. The order by which the "Soo" line is directed to build across the tracks of the Great Northern Railway company and the Eastern Railway company of Minnesota (lessee of the Great Northern), in Douglas county, is similarly called illegal by the railway lawyers.

In both petitions the court is asked to issue writs of certiorari against the rate commission to the end that the commission's decision and order may be reversed and set at naught. The writs were granted by Judge Stevens this morning and the commission is given 30 days in which to make return.

TAFT WRONG ABOUT THE FILIPINO IDEA

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Sept. 19.—Bryan today gave an interview reply to the statement of Taft September 15th, to the effect that the independent in the Philippines prefer a republican victory to Bryan's promises. Bryan states that Fiske Warren of Boston, cable Albert Barretto of Manila and asked if the Taft declaration was true, and requested the immediate authoritative opinion of the Centro, the governing body, or Barretto. The following reply from Barretto, as president of the Centro, was received:
"The nationalist party with the immediate independence creed prefers the triumph of the democrats. The general convention on July 12th, agreed unanimously to join enthusiastically in the Bryan platform."
The nationalist party is the largest group in the Philippines.

50 PASSENGERS SAFE ON ISLAND

VICTORIA, B. C., Sept. 19.—Of the fifty passengers of the steamer Acon, which left San Francisco for Sydney and which until today had not been heard from, all are safe. Advice received today from Fanning Island, state that the vessel was wrecked off Christmas Island and that the passengers, and crew, including Chaplain Patrick of the United States navy, and wife, are marooned on the island. Arrangements have been made for the steamer Manuka to call at Christmas island next Tuesday, and take the shipwrecked victims off. The vessel carried a cargo of salmon and redwood.

INJUNCTION IS REFUSED IN IOWA

DES MOINES, Ia., Sept. 19.—Stating that a restraining order would in effect mean the enjoining of the police powers of the state, Federal Judge McPherson has denied an injunction asked by the United Breweries of New Jersey, restraining the civic federation of Davenport from interfering with its saloon at Princeton. The saloon was closed for an alleged violation of the Iowa malt law.

Taft's Plans Finished

CINCINNATI, Ohio, Sept. 19.—Plans are completed for the Taft itinerary. Col. Dan Ramsdell of Indianapolis, sergeant at arms of the senate, will be in charge of the special train. Rev. Johnson Wesley Hill of the Metropolitan Episcopal Temple, New York, will accompany Taft. Dr. J. J. Richardson of Washington, the noted throat specialist who accompanied Roosevelt on many trips, will also accompany Taft, and see that the candidate is in fit condition to speak at any time.

A man gets so rattled when a girl proposes to him that she can make him believe he did it.

Just a Few Good "Buys"

\$2250—Finest lot on the south side.
\$20,000—Hotel nearby city.
\$250—Building lots on city.
\$5,000—25 acre farm, improvements.
\$2,100—Good 10-room Berlin street.
\$450—Small house, 11th and Green.
\$1,100—Home on 11th and Green.
\$25—Fine lots on 11th and Green line.
\$50—Fine lot, 11th and Green.

GEO. B. M.
712 Clinton St.

DAILY MARKETS

LOCAL MARKETS

WHOLESALE

Fruits

(Quoted by J. C. Burns)

Apples, new, bu. \$1.25
Crabs, bu. \$1.25
Lemons, 360 size box \$3.50
Lemons, 300 size box \$4.50
Cabbages, per crate \$1.75
Cocoanuts, per 100 \$4.50
New potatoes, bushel \$1.70
New carrots \$1.50
Peaches, white freestone, box 70c
Peaches, clingstone, box 70c
Tokay grapes, crate \$1.75
Bartlett pears, per box \$1.75 to \$2.00
Bartlett pears, bbl. \$4.00
Bartlett pears, bu. \$1.50
Kiefer's pears, bu. \$1.25
California lemons 240 box \$3.50
Oranges, Valencia, 150 176
Oranges, 200, 216, box \$4.90
Bananas, medium, \$1.25 to \$1.50
Celery, Michigan, 10 doz case \$1.50
Plums, crate \$1.25
Sweet potatoes, per lb. \$3.25
Concord grapes, 10 basket lots \$1.8c
Peru grapes, crate \$1.25
Tomatoes, bushel \$1.25
Malaga grapes, crates \$1.25
Muskrat grapes, crate \$1.50

Flour and Feed

(Quoted by the Listman Milling Co.)
Patent (per bbl. in sacks) \$5.60
Straight, (per bbl. in sacks) \$5.40
Milk Feed
Bran, per ton \$22.00
(Sacks, \$1 per ton extra.)
Shorts, per ton \$23.00
(Sacks, \$1 per ton extra.)
White middlings, per ton \$24.00
(Sacks, \$1 per ton extra.)
Red Dog, per ton \$26.00
(Sacks, \$1 per ton extra.)

Cheese

(Quoted by Henry Andregg.)
Full cream brick, pound \$10.12c
Full cream Twin, pound \$13.16c
Full cream, Limburger, lb. \$11.16c
Round Swiss \$13.16c
German hand, per doz \$9.00
Primo \$9.12c

Grain

(Quoted by Thomas & Phalon.)
Winter wheat \$9.90 to \$9.95c
Spring wheat \$9.00c
Barley \$5.50 to \$5.70c
Oats \$4.40 to \$4.30c
Rye \$6.50 to \$6.70c
Corn \$7.80 to \$8.00c

Livestock

(By Langdon-Boyd Packing Co.)
Hogs \$5.00 to \$6.00
Steers \$2.50 to \$3.50
Heifers \$2.00 to \$2.50
Cows \$1.50 to \$2.50
Lams \$4.00 to \$4.50
Sheep \$2.00 to \$3.00

Poultry

Old chickens \$7.00 to \$8.00
Spring chickens, lb. \$10.12c
Turkeys, pound \$10.12c
Ducks \$8.00
Geese \$8.00

Provisions

Lard, per lb. \$10.10 to \$10.15c
Hams \$12.12c
Shoulders \$9.00
Bacon \$14.15 to \$15.15c
Dry Beef \$19.15 to \$20.15c

Butter and Eggs

(Quoted by Hawkey Com. Co.)
Creamery, per pound \$25.26c
Dairy, per pound \$23.26c
Eggs, fresh, doz. \$21.13c
Eggs, second \$18.13c

Hay and Wood

(Quoted by City Scales.)
Hay, wild, per ton \$6.00 to \$7.00
Hay, tame, per ton \$8.00 to \$9.00
Straw, ton \$6.00
Bottom wood, cord \$4.50 to \$6.00
Second growth, oak \$4.50 to \$6.00
Pine wood \$5.50
Dry wood cord \$6.00
Old oak \$5.00 to \$6.50

RETAIL

(Quoted by Listman Milling Co.)
Patent, per 1-4 bbl. sack \$1.60
Straight, per 1-4 bbl. sack \$1.55

Vegetables

(Quoted by A. B. Moll.)
Summer squash \$1.50
Young carrots, per bunch \$3.50
Young beets, per bunch \$3.50
Eggs, strictly fresh \$2.50
Creamery butter, per pound \$28c
Dairy, per pound \$25c
Parsley, per bunch \$1.50
New cabbage, each \$1.50
Potatoes, per bushel \$7.50
Carrots, per peck \$1.50
Wax beans, pound \$1.50
Beets, per peck \$1.50
Cucumbers, each \$1.50
Lettuce, 2 bunches for \$1.50
Green peppers, dozen \$2.00
Turnips, peck \$1.50
Fresh tomatoes, pound \$1.50
Fresh mushrooms \$7.50
Pineapples, each \$2.50
Egg plant, each \$1.00
Cantaloupes \$5.10c
Peaches, dozen \$2.00
Watermelons \$2.50
Green corn, per doz \$12.50
Blackberries \$1.00
Grapes, lb. \$1.00
Lima beans, peck \$3.50

Flax

(Quoted by H. M. Slegers.)
Pickers \$1.50
Pike, pound \$1.50
White \$1.50
Trout, pound \$1.50
Salmon \$1.50
Herring \$4.50
Halibut \$1.50
Perch \$1.50

Foreign Markets

Kansas City Livestock.
KANSAS CITY, Sept. 19.—Cattle, 200; steady; steers, \$4.50 to \$7.40; stockers, \$2.70 to \$4.80.
Hogs, 2,000; steady; bulk, \$6.75 to \$7.05; pigs, \$4.50 to \$6.25.
Sheep, none; steady; muttons, \$3.75 to \$4.10; lambs, \$4 to \$5.40.

Poultry, Dairy, Etc.
NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—Poultry unchanged.
Butter, 2 1/2% to 2 3/4% c.
Eggs, 31 to 32c.
Cheese, 13 to 14c.

New York Stocks.

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—There was a renewed pressure after the first quarter of an hour in the market, and from then on prices made material losses, a number of leading stocks dropping two points, everything traded in during the first hour showing the same amount of loss. Government bonds unchanged; others dull.

Chicago Livestock.

CHICAGO, Sept. 19.—Cattle, 1,000; unchanged.
Hogs—7,000; steady. Light, \$6.50 to \$7.20; heavy, 6.85 to \$7.36; pigs, \$4.50 to \$6.25.
Sheep—2,000; unchanged.

Chicago Markets.

WHEAT.
Dec. 99 1/2 101 1/2 99 3/4 101 1/2
May 102 1/2 104 1/2 102 1/2 104 1/2
CORN.
Dec. 66 66 3/4 65 3/4 65 3/4
May 65 3/4 65 3/4 64 3/4 65 3/4
OATS.
Sept. 48 49 48 49
May 51 51 51 51
PORK.
Oct. 15.55 15.67 15.50 15.65
Sept. 15.55

TODAY'S GRAIN GOSSIP

New York—J. S. Bache & Co.: Advise caution in buying; we believe stocks are cheap however; for a long pull at present levels.

Carpenter Baggott & Co.: It is most likely that we shall not again see the recent high prices probably until the discontinuing of the election occurs and some lower levels may be established in the meantime. A very conservative policy as to commitments would appear wise though many stocks can be bought that will later show handsome profits.

Pingree Fitch & Co. say: There may be some little further setback in prices but we believe wheat should be purchased on these recessions.

Bartlett Patten & Co.: The market shows an excellent undertone and there is no change in the news to encourage belief that the break will go far.

Finley Barrell & Co.: We can see nothing at the moment to warrant any permanent recovery in values.

Shearson Hammill &

NELSON'S GRAND FALL OPENING SPECIAL SALE

Read these offerings and act promptly or you will not get your share of the bargains. This is the leading Furniture Furnishing store of La Crosse. The one that shows the newest styles and doing business on its own merits, not on has-been reputation. You can buy from 10 to 20 per cent cheaper here than elsewhere if you will only take the pains to compare the quality. Be convinced.

**NEW FURNITURE, NEW CARPETS,
NEW RUGS, NEW DRAPERIES,
NEW STOVES, NEW LINOLEUMS,
NEW LACE CURTAINS, ETC.**

Are you from Missouri? And hard to be convinced. If so take a look around, come posted from A to Z and our prices with the qualities to back them up, will convince you that at last you have found the place to leave your money. If you need anything in Rugs, Carpets, Lace Curtains, Portiers, Furniture, Stoves, Get it at Nelson's Grand Fall Opening Special Sale.

On **MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 21st**, and for the rest of the month we shall place on Sale Thousands of dollars worth of Merchandise at greatly reduced prices and to the bargain seeker, the Golden Opportunity has arrived to secure unheard of bargains. These prices are for Spot Cash. No matter what you need—a single piece of Furniture or the complete furnishing for the home, you are assured extraordinary Savings on every purchase.

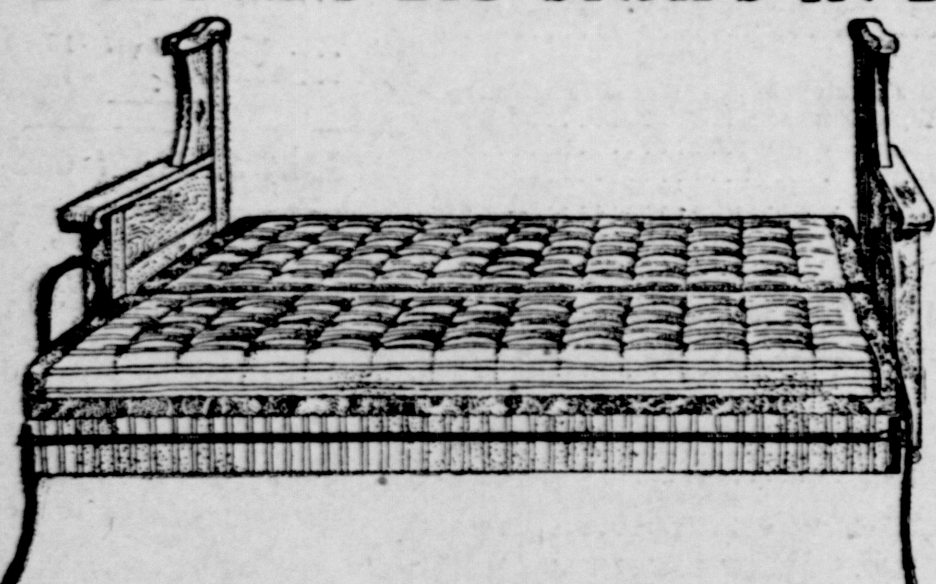
We show as many Rugs as all the rest of the stores put together, consequently you can have a larger pick, thereby being better satisfied.

	Reg. Price.	Sale Price
25 Best 5 Frame Body Brussels Rugs, 9 ft. x 12 ft.	\$30.00	\$24.00
10 Best Fine Wilton Rugs, 9 ft. x 12 ft.	35.00	29.50
50 Fine Wilton Rugs, 36 x 63 in.	7.00	5.50
50 Axminster Rugs, 36 x 72 in.	4.50	3.75
100 Axminster Rugs, 27 x 60 inches	2.50	1.95
25 Extra Fine Quality Smyrna Rugs, 36 x 72 in.	4.50	3.75
25 Extra Fine Quality Smyrna Rugs, 30 x 60 in.	3.25	2.50
25 Extra Fine Quality Smyrna Rugs, 26 x 54 in.	2.75	2.00

DINING TABLES

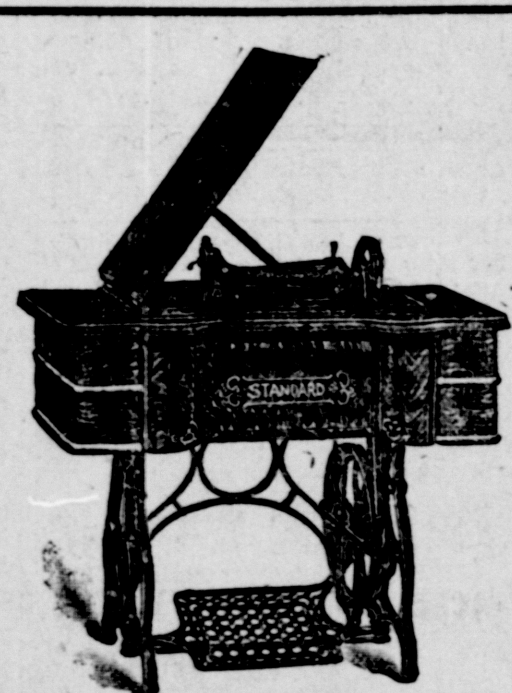
	Reg. Price.	Sale Price
42 in. Round Top, Golden Oak Out. Sawed Dining Table, 6 ft. ext.	\$16.50	\$13.50
45 in. Round Top, Golden Oak Out. Sawed Dining Table 6 ft. ext.	18.50	15.50
45 in. Round Top, Solid Oak Dining Table, 8 ft. extension	19.00	15.00
45 in. Round Top Out. Sawed Oak Dining Table, 6 ft. Ext.	20.00	16.50
45 in. Round Top Out. Sawed Oak Dining Table, 6 ft. Ext.	22.00	18.50
45 in. Round Top Out. Sawed Oak Dining Table, 6 ft. Ext.	25.00	21.00
48 in. Round Top, Out. Sawed Oak Dining Table, 8 ft. Ext.	35.00	30.00
48 in. Round Top, Out. Sawed Oak Dining Table, 8 ft. Ext.	37.50	32.00
48 in. Round Top, Out. Sawed Oak Dining Table, 8 ft. Ext.	40.00	34.50

WE HAVE 3 BIG SNAPS IN DAVENPORTS



1st—A 4 ft. 6 in. Mahogany Frame, Covered in Green Plush. Regular Price \$40.00, Sale Price \$30.00.
2d—A 6 ft. 3 in. Mahogany Frame, Covered in Green Crushed Plush. Regular Price \$50.00, Sale Price \$40.00.
3d—A 6 ft. 3 in. Mahogany Frame, Covered in Fine Tapestry. Regular Price \$37.50, Sale Price \$28.00.

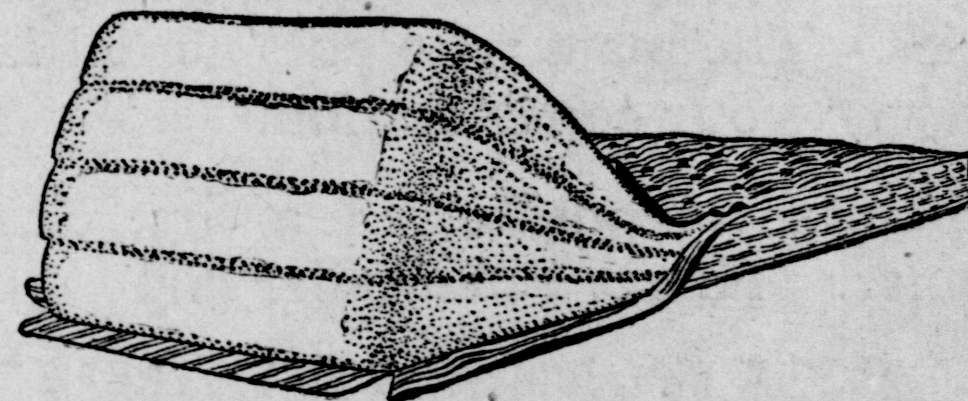
Bed Davenports have come to stay and no home shall be without them.
\$22.50 Gate End Davenport, Covered in Green Velour, Sale Price \$19.50
\$50.00 Gate End Davenport, Covered in Fine Silk Tapestry, Sale Price \$42.00
We shall also put on sale three of the Celebrated Somersault Davenports. This Davenport has a genuine Cotton Felt Mattress, 80 Spiral Springs and when in use the upholstered part is out of the way. To open this Davenport it does not have to be pulled away from the wall. To see it, is to want it.
\$30.00 Value Steel Ends, Covered with Velour \$25.00
\$45.00 Value Golden Oak Ends, Covered with Crushed Plush \$36.00
\$50.00 Value Mahogany Ends, Covered with Green Car Plush \$45.00



We have the agency for the celebrated STANDARD Machines. Prices range from—

**\$17.50, \$25, \$30,
\$45.00 and \$50.00**

BRASS BEDS AND IRON BEDS



Our Cotton Felt Mattresses are made from pure cotton, of best quality and contain no cheap materials. Each mattress is made under strict supervision and is absolutely sanitary. Full weight and perfect in every detail.

\$45.00 Brass Bed, 2 in. post \$39.00
\$35.00 Brass Bed, 2 in. posts \$30.00
\$28.00 Brass Bed, 2 in. post \$23.00
\$25.00 Brass Bed, 2 in. post \$21.00
\$22.00 Vernis Martin Bed, 2 in. posts \$18.50
\$20.00 Vernis Martin Bed, 2 in. posts \$16.50
\$25.00 Iron Bed, Brass Filled Tub \$18.00
\$20.00 Iron Bed \$14.50
\$18.00 \$12.50

\$10.50 Iron Bed \$8.00
\$10.00 Iron Bed \$7.50
\$12.00 Iron Bed \$9.00

We have purchased 100 Cotton Felt Mattresses and expect to sell them at a very small margin of profit to ourselves.

\$8.00 Cotton Felt Mattress, Built not stuffed, Sale Price \$6.50
\$10.00 Cotton Felt Mattress, Built not stuffed, Sale Price \$8.00
\$12.00 Cotton Felt Mattress, Built not Stuffed, Sale Price \$10.00
\$3.50 Cotton Top Mattress Sale Price \$2.75
\$4.50 Cotton Top and Bottom Mattress, Sale Price \$3.75
Springs \$2.50 Quality, Sale Price \$2.00
Springs \$3.50 Quality, Sale Price \$2.75 | Springs \$1.75 Quality, Sale Price \$1.50

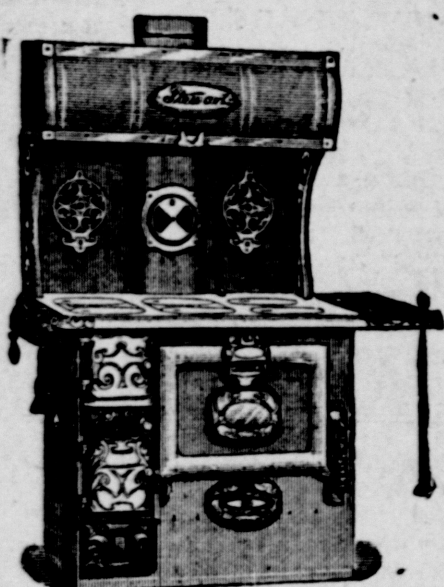


CHAIRS

All of our fine upholstered chairs covered in Sterling Leather, Spanish and Roan Leather will be sold at greatly reduced prices.

Reg. Price. Sale Price.

Sleepy Hollow Rocker, Sterling Leather	\$30.00	\$25.00
Sleepy Hollow Chair, Sterling Leather	\$27.50	\$22.00
Sleepy Hollow Rocker, Spanish Leather	\$22.50	\$19.50
Sleepy Hollow Rocker, Sterling Leather	\$24.00	\$20.00
Sleepy Hollow Rocker, Roan Leather	\$17.50	\$15.00
Leather Upholstered Rocker	\$22.00	\$18.00
Leather Upholstered Rocker	\$25.00	\$20.00
Leather Upholstered Rocker	\$22.50	\$19.50
Leather Upholstered Rocker	\$20.00	\$16.00
Leather Upholstered Rocker	\$18.50	\$16.00
Leather Upholstered Rocker	\$18.00	\$15.50
Leather Upholstered Rocker	\$17.50	\$15.00
Leather Upholstered Rocker	\$17.00	\$14.50
Leather Upholstered Rocker	\$15.00	\$12.00
Leather Upholstered Rocker	\$20.00	\$16.00
Leather Upholstered Rocker	\$14.50	\$11.00
Leather Upholstered Rocker	\$11.50	\$10.00
Leather Upholstered Rocker	\$10.00	\$7.75



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None Better Made

This Genuine Steel Range can be got for \$25.00 and we warrant it to give perfect satisfaction. We have others at \$30.00, \$32.00, \$35.00, \$40.00, \$45.00, \$50.00, \$55.00 and \$60.00.

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We are showing all the new models, ranging in price from

\$14.50 to \$47.50

We also carry the Hoosier and McDougall makes.



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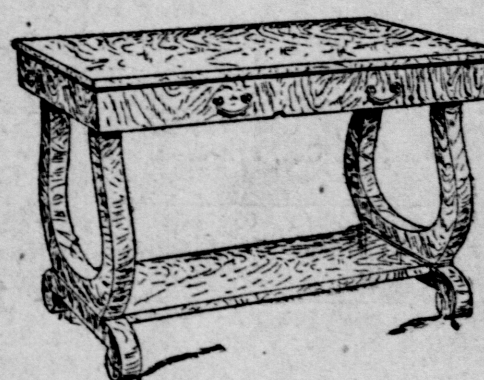
In 3 Different Grades.

Art Stewart — Prices \$35, \$40 and \$45.

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We are showing a very pretty assortment of Library Tables in the Mission, Early English and Golden Oak. A chance to get a good bargain. Reduced as follows:



	Reg. Price.	Sale Price
Library Tables Mission	\$25.00	\$20.00
Library Tables Mission	\$13.00	\$10.00
Library Tables Mission	\$15.00	\$12.00
Library Tables Mission	\$17.00	\$13.50
Library Tables Golden Oak and Mahogany	\$20.00	\$16.50
Library Tables Golden Oak	\$10.00	\$8.00
Library Tables Golden Oak	\$22.00	\$17.00
Library Tables Golden Oak	\$16.00	\$12.50
Library Tables Golden Oak	\$18.00	\$14.00
Library Tables Golden Oak	\$17.00	\$13.50
Library Tables Golden Oak	\$15.00	\$12.00

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	Reg. Price.	Sale Price.
Parlor Suits	\$25.00	\$19.00
Parlor Suits	\$27.50	\$21.00
Parlor Suits	\$30.00	\$24.00
Parlor Suits	\$32.50	\$25.00
Parlor Suits	\$45.00	\$35.00
Parlor Suits	\$50.00	\$39.00
Parlor Suits	\$60.00	\$48.00
Odd Settees	\$20.00	\$15.00
Odd Settees	\$15.00	\$11.00

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